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esvov AFTOF	January 2nd Congress
ACGYTejdiz	has given the necessary authority ~~xxx~~ Banco do Brazil
AHZYDahnuc	exclusive emission
AMDABamdyd	bank notes Government notes
ACMYDebgik	Will be retired
ACRUKaxxuk	I believe our position
ACSYHafvob	better in consequence of.

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RIO.

ESVUWesluz	January 3rd Refer to your telegram of 2nd
EJDIZ echyp	Banco do Brazil suggest
abfaxAXFIB	prompt action must be taken to obtain
AGVYBaxxos	all details possible
AFTYMalzeg	in connection with new
AKWIWabmat	issue also
EBNOVefdak	a good selection of vignette
ABRIJebzuk	and size of
AMDAB almav	notes so we may
axxovALRYV	if possible prepare models for
AKHOWecfex	immediately Stop.
ECWEJalwis	If you think it is necessary
EPXEJ egbyd	~~Mxxxxkxxdat~~ J. Claudet will
EBKEPajhir	sail for
ERLEVecfex	Rio de Janeiro Stop.
ECNUP alwov	Keep us informed by telegraph Will do what is necessary
AXFIB axjaw	to obtain order

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This Company will not assume any responsibility concerning any message beyond the terminus of its own lines.

It is agreed between the sender of the message on the reverse hereof and this Company, that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery, to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any unrepeated message, beyond the amount of that portion of the tolls which shall accrue to this Company; and that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any repeated message, beyond fifty times the extra sum received by this Company from the sender for repeating such message over its own lines, and that this Company shall not be liable in any case for delays arising from interruption in the working of its lines or from congestion of traffic, nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages, or caused by indistinct handwriting or typewriting. And this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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O.P.R.
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Rio, Rec'd Jan.4,1923.

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JAN 4 1923

ESVYXakcib	January 4th An excellent idea
EPXEJafjef	J.Claudet come
AZ&UTebkyt	Do not ~~be~~commend to sail
EDPAJebzof	until situation

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AGKYFabbum	In a few days hope I shall be able to
ABJACadjuz	advise you It is almost certain that
AJNEXabfyn	the government will act according to
EBLYGajmir	sanction given
ADBEKecvar	but there is some
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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRAZIL - Bank Notes.

C. P. R. JAN 8 1923

DATE January 5,1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We acknowledge receipt of your cable reading as follows:-

"January 2nd, Congress has given the necessary authority Banco do Brazil exclusive emission bank notes. Government notes will be retired. I believe our position better in consequence of."

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in reply to which we cabled you:-

"January 3rd, refer to your telegram of 2nd Banco do Brazil, suggest prompt action must be taken to obtain all details possible in connection with new issue, also a good selection of vignette and size of notes, so we may, if possible, prepare models for immediately. Stop. If you think it is necessary J. Claudet will sail for Rio de Janeiro.Stop.Keep us informed by telegraph. Will do what is necessary to obtain order."

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and we are now in receipt of your cable of January 4th which we have decoded as follows:-

"January 4th, an excellent idea J.Claudet come.Do not recommend to sail until situation clearer. In a few days hope I shall be able to advise you. It is almost certain that the government will act according to sanction given but there is some opposition."

As you say, I feel that by giving the Banco do Brazil the exclusive right to issue bank notes our position is strengthened, and it would probably take the placing of bank note orders out of politics and eliminate, I hope, the long delays that we have always experienced with the government in the payment of our bills.

As stated in our telegram, if you think it absolutely necessary the writer will leave for Rio, but not until you are assured that the situation is such that his presence will be made as short as possible,- so please arrange to obtain the necessary details as early as you can and, if possible, the selection of vignettes and the sizes in which the new issues will be made.

If you can obtain all these details and let us have them I would like to have the models made before leaving and bring them down with me. Before leaving I shall await to hear from you by cable.

Yours very truly,

Vice President.

JC/IW

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Rio de Brazil

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT Prospective Trip to Brazil of Mr. J. Claudet.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Jany.9,1923.

O. B. JAN 25 1923

JAN 25 1923

I confirm the telegrams exchanged in this connexion as per copies herewith. Things here are in great confusion as you can understand better by reading my letter of this date on The General State of Affairs in Brazil. I am convinced that it will be the part of wisdom for Mr. Claudet to be here at this critical time. My only hesitation in advising his coming immediately is due to the fact of the prevailing uncertainty--he might have to wait for a longer period than would be convenient. However, I am about decided to try to explain matters in this way to you by cable to-morrow or next day and then you can determine what is the best thing, taking into account the Company's other requirements for his services. It is probably contemplated to have him visit Argentina during his visit to South America and if the Company has any intention of this sort, he could come to Rio, examine the situation and then go on to Buenos Aires, returning to Rio when the situation might demand it.

This is a very critical time in the Company's business in Brazil and I do not feel like neglecting any possible chance of influencing results. I shall certainly be glad to welcome him both from the business and the personal standpoint. Yours very truly,

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TRANSLATION

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Sail For
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Keep us informed by telegraph Will do what is necessary
To obtain Order

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FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

GENERAL STATE OF AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL.

C.P.R.
FEB 6 1923

Jany.9,1923.

The Budget figures are just out but the matter is so vast and complicated that public opinion cannot tell all at once just what it all signifies. The figures published are so blurred in the 'Diario Official' that it is a slow and tedious process to work it all out. No one person is competent to digest the whole mass of figures and the truth is arrived at by a number of persons making known their criticisms.

In other words, some are expert in some branches and others in other branches. The hurry and disorder attending the last sessions were almost appalling and Congress did not know very well what it was doing itself. The State of Siege has been extended up to the end of April and this restricts a good deal of discussion, too. Expert opinion predicted that the deficit would be from 400,000 contos to 600,000 contos, but it finally appears with a deficit of between 20,000,000$ and 30,000,000$--no one takes it at all seriously. It is the old case of 'liars will figger'--they simply tried to make it look that way and of course twisted it to suit their purpose. That leading (so-called) men could be so far out in their calculations on so momentous a subject, speaks volumes for the awful ineptitude prevailing in Brazil in this day and generation. Such lack of orientation is one of the worst factors in Brazilian affairs. They simply do not know what to do and, moreover, do not know what they are doing, either.

There certainly must be some big blunders in the Budget and some grave omissions. Besides this, there now seems to

GENERAL STATE OF AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL (CONTINUED)

be a strong tendency to cover things up--in marked contrast to the expressed intention to show up everything. That is the feeling now prevalent and in consequence confidence is diminishing at a rapid pace.

What Congress put forward as a salvation for Brazil's financial difficulties was to make the Bank of Brazil a Bank of Emission, the Government relinquishing that prerogative entirely in the Bank's favour. The project is a complicated one and the final form has not yet been published--I do not know what changes were made in the last hours of its career through Congress. The gold deposit which the Govt. holds here as a fund to protect the currency notes in circulation (in round figures about £ 10,000,000 stg.) is to be turned over to the Bank and they are to have the right to issue against it at the rate of three to one. Also they are to be able to issue against commercial paper in accordance with certain safeguards duly laid down in the law. There are some queer conditions, however, and the Bank is to take over the gold deposit (worth say over Rs.400,000,000$ at present rates) for Rs.300,000,000$--that is, the Bank is creditor to the Treasury for a very large amount and the debit is to be diminished to the extent of Rs.300,000,000$ in consideration of the transfer of the gold deposit. And the Bank is supposed to issue at the rate of 12d, which would give it the power to consider this gold as being only Rs.200,000,000$.

Altogether it is a mixed up and singular business and it will be hard to work out any plan (feasible) on the conditions

GENERAL STATE OF AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL (CONTINUED)

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Jany.9,1923.

prescribed in the authorization given by Congress.The impression in business circles is very bad and it is reported that Rothschild,on behalf of British interests,has put in a protest.The Bank's shares have gone down and the President of the Bank, (Whitaker,a Brazilian of English descent) resigned in disgust and went back to his home in São Paulo without saying the pragmatical'good-by! He afterwards published a scathing letter against the plan.The matter will have to be submitted to a meeting of the shareholders,but the Government owns a majority of the stock. The originators of the plan--undoubtedly with the Administration's support--think they have concocted something which will cure the financial ills from which Brazil is suffering. The idea is to make the Bank so big and powerful that it will be an immense money-making concern and it is proposed to make the profits--after a good profit to the shareholders--pay off the currency outstanding in the Government's name. This will take a number of years on any count and they take it for granted that the Bank cannot lose. This comes just at a time when it is being forcibly demonstrated that the Coffee Valorization is a dismal failure. In that the Government interfered in business matters and went against natural laws. The result is that a big crop is now coming and they cannot possibly go on artificially bolstering up prices. Of course the people on the inside in this coffee deal made a splendid thing out of it for themselves and the Government will have to stand a colossal loss. It is said that Rothschild has also insisted that the Government sell the coffee held before the new crop comes along,but,for some reason

GENERAL STATE OF AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL(CONTINUED)

or other the Government does not wish to do that.Probably they are afraid of angering the big coffee planters at a critical time,for they are getting (in mil reis) huge prices for their coffee. Anyhow,an emissary of the Brazilian Govt.has gone off to London in a hurry to treat there. He is Dr. Numa de Oliveira and a good friend of mine had given me strong help to interest him in our case with the Minister of Fazenda,who is very intimate with Dr. Oliveira. But he got away just at the moment that my help came. But I understand that he will be back soon and my introduction may still prove most useful.

Dr. Whitaker left in charge a young man,Dr. Daniel de Mendonça,who is a good friend of Mr. Allen and has expressed himself as very much opposed to the notes of the Casa da Moeda. Dr. Mendonça is only temporarily in charge and a new President will no doubt be appointed. But Dr. Mendonça will no doubt keep on in the Bank andhishelp will be very useful to us.

Probably the notes required for all this new business,if it comes off will be large. The Bank will be good at first anyhow and we can get prompt pay--very mush in contrast with what the Govt. will be able to do at this time. So,I think that our prospects will be better and I believe that something will be done regarding the Bank of Brazil--although there may be changes in the scheme as it now stands.

Yours very truly,

C.P.R.
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Rio, Rec'd Jan.10,1923.

1/16/23

A.B.N.Co.

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ESWYGesfyl	January 10th Refer to our telegram of 4th
EPXEJegden	J.Claudet Think it wiser to
AFJIGabnen	come as quickly as possible although
AXXEWafvum	it is possible that considerable
ECZABacpyf	time will expire before any
ACZEWabzhl	business can be arranged

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JAN 10 1923

L.C.Irvine

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ESWYGesnak	January 10th Refer to your telegram of 10th
AKCULakzah	If according to your best judgment
EGKASagbeg	you are convinced
EPXEJazcid	J.Claudet presence
azmiv ALWUNxxmixx	necessary as quickly as possible
AJNEJ ecfex	will go Stop.
AJGYCaczew	Feel business
AJFIH xJTWZabhod	xxx not far enough advanced
EDGIDebdal	to require
AKHAWazcid	immediate presence
ECWYLenpab	What do you think about it.

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This Company will not assume any responsibility concerning any message beyond the terminus of its own lines.

It is agreed between the sender of the message on the reverse hereof and this Company, that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery, to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any unrepeated message, beyond the amount of that portion of the tolls which shall accrue to this Company; and that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any repeated message, beyond fifty times the extra sum received by this Company from the sender for repeating such message over its lines, and that this Company shall not be liable in any way for delays arising from interruption in the working of its lines or from congestion of traffic, nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages, or caused by indistinct handwriting or typewriting. And this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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John L Merrill President

Rio, Rec'd Jan.11,1923.

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ESXAHesnak	January 11th Refer to your telegram of 10th
should have read — whole confused	
EFXYX AJDESevxyx	Due to the fact (that) Beginning of May
EBZOFafsux	situation confusing
EDNEZedlil	unprecedented uncertain
AXLYTajlbk	our own future
ECCYPabhow	at stake consider it advisable
AFJIGahmiz	come as quickly as possible emergency(ies)
ABZYGaxxir	may arise ~~possibilities~~ possibility
ALCUHaczew	very large business

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L. C. Irvine.

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RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

C. P. R.
FEB 8 1923

L. C. IRVINE
JAN 11 1923
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TRANSLATION

January 11 Refer to your
telegram of the 10th
Due to the fact (that) Whole
Situation Confuse(d)
Unprecedented Uncertain
Our own Future
At stake Consider it advisable
Come as quickly as possible Emergencies
May arise Possibility (ies)
Very large Business

C.P.R.
JAN 13 1923

January 12,1923

Mr. Peter Aitchison,

General Superintendent.

BRAZIL BANK NOTES

Since it is quite possible that the Republic of Brazil will get out an entire new issue of bank notes, with the exception of the 500 Reis, 1 and 2 Milreis denomination, we feel it might be well to be ready to suggest to them sizes for notes if this new issue is put through.

Aside from the 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200 and 500 Milreis we feel it is likely they may issue a 1000 denomination. This would make in all 8 values or sizes for us to figure on.

The notes would be steel face and back with a Major tint on face. Although we have no idea what they may want we think it would be well to figure on the 5 Milreis note being more or less similar to those which we previously furnished,- and each higher denomination to be a trifle larger.

It might also be well, as a matter of economy and to be in a position to make lower prices, to give us another set of sizes even smaller than the first. However, we leave it to your judgment to make up sizes that will print up easily and economically. In showing these sizes I suggest that you have each one cut out of a sheet of paper to the trimmed size of the note. We ask this since it makes it a little easier for our customer to appreciate what a finished note would look like in size.

This confirms my conversation with you yesterday morning.

Manager Foreign Department

FWG/IW

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRAZIL - Bank Notes.

C.P.R. 1-17

DATE January 16,1923

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We acknowledge receipt of your cable of January 10th reading:-

> "January 10th, refer to our telegram of 4th, J. Claudet think it wiser to come as quickly as possible,although it is possible that considerable time will expire before any business can be arranged."

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to which we replied on the same day:-

> "January 10th, refer to your telegram of 10th,if according to your best judgment you are convinced J. Claudet presence necessary as quickly as possible, will go. Stop. Feel business not far enough advanced to require immediate presence. What do you think about it."

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and have your cable of January 11th as follows:-

> "January 11th, refer to your telegram of 10th, due to the fact that beginning of May situation confusing,unprecedented, uncertain, our own future at stake;consider it advisable come as quickly as possible - emergency may arise, possibility very large business.

In view of your urgent request I have decided to proceed to Rio on February 3rd, per S.S.Vestris, if I can procure accommodations. Should there be a change I will advise you by cable.

It is my intention to leave with my wife and would ask you to arrange for accommodations for a nice room and bath.

Yours very truly,

JC/IW

Vice President.

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Bco do Brazil

FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

PROSPECTIVE TRIP TO BRAZIL OF MR. CLAUDET;

C.P.R.
FEB 8 1923

Jany.18,1923.

Confirming my letter of the 9th,inst.and the telegrams exchanged, as per copies enclosed,I now await a telegram announcing that Mr. Claudet has sailed.In view of the complications existing and the fact that we have to face the possibility of losing our business in Brazil,it seemed to me in every way wiser to act as I did on your suggestion. I think we have things in line to land the order --and I believe it will be a very big one,running into many years, perhaps--but Mr. Claudet's experience and authority will be of such value at this critical time that it would not be fair to the Company's interests to fail to make use of every factor available.

The political situation is not any too settled,but the Governmentseems to be carrying its business so far and it is evidently bent on putting the Bank project through.

One thing is to my mind very clear and that is that we shall be in much better position in giving credit to the Bank than in giving it to the General Government. The Government is bad pay now and,judging from all signs,will be worse before better. The Bakk will be good in the beginning--afterwards,--well,that is in the laps of the gods and we can cross the bridge when we come to it.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT THE BANK OF BRAZIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE Jany. 18, 1923.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

The Govt. evidently means to go ahedd with the plan to make the Bank a bank of issue, as the Decree has been published by the Executive, which of course signifies the Govt's approval. At the same time it is not easy to see how they can do it on the lines laid down in the Law. I enclose a translation of the Law as it now stands.

Some doubt existed as to whether there would be an emission on gold alone (at 3 times the amount of the gold figured at 12 d or 20 mil reis to the sovereign) but it is now understood that all the notes issued will be covered by security, 1/3 gold and 2/3 commercial paper, with two good names and one good bank. This is an impossible condition as matters go in this country. The other banks are not going to take any business to the Bank of Brazil and it is not at all clear how that bank endorsement is to be arranged. The Bank project was concocted principally by lawyers without practical knowledge of banking business. The £ 10,000,000 stg. to be handed over to the Bank is at present a pledge for the Govt. note circulation. To take it away in this manner is not acting in good faith for the Govt. issue will thus be without any of their vaunted guarantee and it will be left uncovered until the Bank redeems all and that will take some years. By giving up the issuing of notes the Govt. relinquishes what is practically a loan to it at no interest and with the large profits accruing to it in the notes never presented for redemption. Their method in redemption of notes is a thoroughly scoundrelly one, for when they call in notes, after a short period they begin to take them on a scale of discounts which finally increases as time runs on until the note is worth nothing--it stands repudiated, in other words.

When the Bank's Reserve Fund reaches Rs.100,000:000$000 the redemption of the Government currency is to begin.

10% of the Bank's profits are to be set aside for the Reserve fund and dividends are not to be declared at higher than 20% per annum. The dividends on the Government's shares are to be applied to the "Special Guarantee & Conversion Fund" as well as the Bank's profits after satisfying the foregoing provisions. This same Fund shall also be increased by appropriations from Congress equal to the Bank's share of addition to the same Fund during the preceding year. (NOTE--This is seriously put forward at a moment when the Govt. cannot expect to pay its debts for a good many years to come, perhaps.)

This Fund to be used to buy gold at 12 d. when it can be done. The Bank is to advance money to the Treasury in the beginning of the year in anticipation of the revenue and this is to be paid back during the same fiscal year.

The rest of the Law speaks for itself. It is a rotten business for the Government and will, as things are and ever shall be in this country, ultimately be rotten for the Bank. Time would fail to go into all that has been said over this business.

Cincinnato Braga, a São Paulo Deputy, has championed the measure through Congress, at the Government's instigation, and has now been appointed President of the Bank. But he has gone out of town to a watering place for a month to recuperate his health, which was damaged in his Parliamentary labours in connexion with this Bill. In an interview given to the Press he showed to his own satisfaction that the Bank was going to make fabulous sums, based

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT THE BANK OF BRAZIL (CONTINUED)

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK Nº 3. DATE Jany.18,1923.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

on the enormous capital to be created by the circulation the Bank is going to enjoy. He counts on Rs.70,000:000$000 next year and more after that. The Bank is to buy the gold at Rs.300,000:000$000 (it is worth over Rs.400,000:000$000 at present exchange) and use it on basis of 12 d. which would be Rs.200,000:000$000, but the loss, so represented, to the Bank, would be compensated by the privileges granted.

If the Bank loses money, then "Good-bye" everything. They are kidding themselves into the belief that they are saving the country by all this foolishness.

It is a mad scheme sure enough.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT TRANSLATION OF BILL PASSED BY CONGRESS DEC. 31, 1922, IN REGARD TO THE BANK OF EMISSION (BANCO DO BRAZIL).

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Jany. 17, 1923.

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Art. 1. The Government is authorized to liquidate and consolidate the floating debt of the Treasury as verified up to Dec. 31, 1922 ;--

(a) By carrying out the necessary credit operations (internal or external) for consolidating the same, in whole or in part, etc., etc.

(b) By transferring to the Bank of Brazil the £ 10,000,000 stg. of the Fund Guaranteeing the paper money now in circulation, at the price of Rs. 300,000,000$000, on account of the Treasury's debt to the Bank on the condition that the Bank assume the redemption of the outstanding paper money issued by the Government on the following terms,--

FIRST. The Bank will take charge of the issue of currency and the Treasury will relinquish the same during the time the contract is to run (10 years);

SECOND. The currency issues will be guaranteed by gold (at the rate of 12 pence) and commercial paper, which shall satisfy the conditions stipulated in the contract, the part in gold to be at least 1/3 of the amount of the issue--except in case of extreme urgency to be recognized by the Government in Executive Decree, in which case the Bank will pay interest to the Treasury at the rate of 12 % per annum on the excessive issue;

THIRD. When the Bank's reserve reaches Rs. 100,000:000$, paper, the Bank will begin the redemption of the Government currency now outstanding, using for this purpose the "Special Guarantee & Conversion FUnd", which is to be formed,

(1) with the Bank's profits after deducting 10% for the Reserve Fund and dividends to the shareholders, said dividends not to exceed 20% per annum;

(2) With the amount of the dividends falling ~~d~~ to the Government's share until the final redemption of the outstanding Government paper money (NOTE by L.C.I. The Government owns the majority of the Bank's shares).

(3) With the resources annually to be devoted to this purpose by Congress in the Budget and which shall be at least equal to the amount of the Government's share of the profits carried by the Bank to the "Special Guarantee & Conversion Fund" in the previous year--this to be observed until the final redemption of said (Government) currency issue now outstanding;

FOURTH. The "Special Guarantee & COnversion Fund" shall be applied to the purchase of gold at 12d.

Fifth. The notes issued by the Bank under this law shall be legal tender and convertible into gold at 12 d. once this rate of exchange is reached and maintained during a period never less than 3 years (as shall be fixed in the contract with the Bank). In this case the dispositions of Decree 1575 of Dec.1906, shall come into force. (NOTE by L.C.I.--I do not know what this law is.)

SIXTH. In anticipation of the Government Revenue, the Bank will open a credit to the Treasury every year up to (at the maximum) 1/4 part of the revenue estimated in the respective Budget, the Treasury to refund the same to the Bank during the same fiscal year.

SEVENTH. The shares of the Bank belonging to the Government (now or in future) will be incorporated in the Nation's Patrimony (Government Belongings) shall be inalienable and shall never amount to less than 50% of the Bank's shares.

EIGHTH. The Bank will extend the time for the Treasury to repay what is now due ,all or in part,for a period of not less than two years;

NINTH. When this contract with the Bank comes into play the Bank's Department of Rediscount will be closed ;

TENTH. The gold transferred under this law to the Bank [illegible] (£ 10,000,000 stg.) will be kept in deposit by the Bank, which cannot alienate it,pledge it,or transfer it outside the country.

ELEVENTH. The Government will have included in the contract with the Bank all the provisions needful for fiscalization and for the defense of the Government interests.

TWELFTH. The President of the Bank to be appointed (or dismissed) by the Government and he shall have the right to veto any deliberations of the Board of Directors.

Art.2 The Government can permit the issue,on the basis of this law,on gold guarantee deposited by the Bank with its bankers abroad.

Art.3. All dispositions contrary to this law are revoked.

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FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK Nº 3. DATE

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TENTH. The gold transferred under this law to the Bank (£ 10,000,000 stg.) will be kept in deposit by the Bank, which cannot alienate it, pledge it, or transfer it outside the country.

ELEVENTH. The Government will have included in the contract with the Bank all the provisions needful for fiscalization and for the defense of the Government interests.

TWELFTH. The President of the Bank to be appointed (or dismissed) by the Government and he shall have the right to veto any deliberations of the Board of Directors.

Art.2 The Government can permit the issue, on the basis of this law, on gold guarantee deposited by the Bank with its bankers abroad.

Art.3. All dispositions contrary to this law are revoked.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
70-72 BROAD ST.
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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT THE BANK OF BRAZIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Jany.20,1923.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

Referring to my former letter under this heading, ~~amount~~ enclosed herewith, I would now add the following,--

The Bank's Reserve up to June 30,1922 was Rs.45,358:433$.

The Bank's profits have been lately as follows,---

	Gross	Net
Dec.31,1920---Rs.	13,828:200$ -----	9,381:839$
June 30,1921 "	16,487:284$ -----	11,287:943$
Dec.31, " "	33,955:574$ -----	17,703:703$
June 30,1922 "	~~19,029:893$~~ 40,218$415 -----	19,029:893$

The Government now owes the Bank about Rs.650,000:000$ on which it pays interest at the rate of ~~MMMMM~~ 7,1/2%. This is done in a most beautiful way--you will hardly be able to believe it--under the Rediscount system on which the Bank has had a right to issue against commercial paper. It was subsequently established by law that the Treasury bills could come under the same system, just as commercial paper, and the brilliant process is for the Bank to advance money to the Treasury at 7,1/2% interest. The Treasury then gives its bills for the amount of the loan and the Bank issues paper money to the same amount ! It amounts simply th the Government's lending money to the Bank <u>at no interest</u> and the Bank then turns round and lends it back to the Government at 7,1/2 % per annum. Talk about finance and financeers ! Can anything beat this ? And without the Bank's rich income from interest received through its loans to the Government, how could the Bank make a good showing ? It is quite like the old story of the two families that tided over a crisis by each one's taking in the other's washing and mutually paying for it. There is not legi-

timate employment for the big capital the Bank is going to use under the wonderful system devised.

Can any reasonable man have any confidence in a country where such childish things go on under a straight face ?

Yours very truly,

R. A. Brune

American Bank Note Company
Hunts Point, Bronx, N.Y.

Office of the
General Superintendent.

O. P. R.
MAR 24 1923

January 22, 1923.

Mr. F. W. Gullett,
Manager Foreign Dept.

Complying with your request of Jan. 12th, we are sending you herewith two sets of sizes for the Brazil notes. The notes in Style 1 are about the size of the old issue, and will require paper as follows:

5 Milreis	----21 on	----Paper size	21-1/2 x 21-11/16
10 "	21	"	22-1/16 x 22-15/16
20 "	21	"	22-5/8 x 20-1/4
50 "	18	"	23-3/8 x 21
100 "	18	"	23-7/16 x 21-3/8
200 "	18	"	24-1/2 x 21-15/16
500 "	18	"	26-9/16 x 22-1/2

In style 2, the number on is increased on five denominations-----

5 Milreis	---28 on	-----Paper size	24 x 22-1/4
10	28		24-7/8 x 23-1/16
20	28		25-1/4 x 23-11/16
50	21		21-3/16 x 24-5/16
100	21		22-1/4 x 21-3/8
200	18		23-1/4 x 21-3/4
500	18		24-1/8 x 22-1/8
1000	12		17-7/16 x 22-1/2

Style 2, complying with your request, is the more economical.size.

EA/GB

Enclosures.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT NOTE ORDERS.

C. P. R. FEB 14 1923

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Jany. 23, 1923.

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Yours very truly,

F. A. Vanderlip

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT NOTE ORDERS.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Jany.25, 1923.

My last letters will have apprised you of the situation here and there is nothing to add beyond the fact that, as everything hangs on the action of the new President of the Banco do Brasil who is at a Brazilian watering place, I thought it wise to get Mr. Allen to go up there and get hold of him. He went on this mission yesterday morning and it is too soon to hear anything yet. He took first-class introductions and I feel sure that we shall be able to get things started by this move. I deemed it best to lose no time in order to forestall any competition. We shall be able to bring some pressure to bear and I am hopeful of success in our efforts.

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5-	Milreis
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Style 1

5 Milreis

Work size--- 2-11/16 x 6-1/4

Returned
Jan Claudet

5. 2 11/16 x 6 1/4

10 Milreis

Work size---2-13/16 x 6-7/16

10. 2 13/16 × 6 7/16

20 Milreis

Work size--2-7/8 x 6-5/8

20.2 7/8 x 6 5/8

50 Milreis

Work size---3 x 6-7/8

50. 3 X 6 7/8

100 Milreis

Work size----3-1/16 x 7-1/16

100. 3 1/16 x 7 1/16

200 Milreis

3-5/32 x 7-1/4-----work size

200. 3 5/32 x 7 1/4

500 Milreis

Work size-----3-1/4 x 7-15/16

500. 3¼ x 7 15/16

C. P. R.
JAN 24 1923

January 24, 1923.

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BRAZIL BANK NOTES

Memo for Mr. Claudet showing work size of notes old issue and proposed work size of notes new issue.

Old issue:

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10	"		"	2-13/16 x 6-7/16
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New Issue:

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20	"		"	2-29/32 x 5-13/16
50	"		"	2-31/32 x 6-5/32
100	"		"	3-1/16 x 6-1/2
200	"		"	3-1/8 x 6-13/16
500	"		"	3-3/16 x 7-1/8
1000	"		"	3-1/4 x 7-15/32

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1 " 2 13/32 x 4 17/16.

Thos. M. Cauley

January 25,1923.

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RIO(Brazil)

C.P.R.
JAN 26 1923

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C. P. R. JAN 26 1923

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

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January 25,1923

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John L. Merrill, President.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

J.Claudet's departure for Rio

C. P. R.
JAN 26 1923

DATE January 25,1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

I confirm my cable of this date reading as follows:-

"January 25th, shall sail February 3rd
Vestris.

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which requires no further comment at this time.

Yours very truly,

Vice President.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT THE BANK OF BRAZIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE Jany.25, 1923.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

I have just had a letter from Mr. Allen and he tells me that he had a very cordial reception from Dr. Cincinnato Braga, the President of the Bank, and he had every opportunity to put forward our case very strongly. He showed avidity in obtaining information concerning notes and asked for the documents I drew up for the present Minister of Fazenda setting forth our claims. I had supplied Mr. Allen with these papers.

So we can rest assured that our case has been entered in good time and has had careful attention in the quarter where it can do us the most good.

Yours very truly,

R. C. Brine

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FEB 17 1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT PROSPECTS FOR BUSINESS.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE Feby. 7, 1923.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

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C. P. R.
FEB 24 1923

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All signs point to the Bank of Brazil scheme being put through according to the Government programme. At the same time there are formalities to be observed and the Bank will have to call a meeting of shareholders to ratify the arrangement. I do not yet know when this meeting will take place.

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I haerd just now, but have not yet been able to verify the report, that the 200$ notes made by the Casa da Moeda have been counterfeited. This is good news if true--and I do not see anything improbable in it I am sure.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

OTHER COPY IN PACKET 575 Casa de Moeda

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT PROSPECTS FOR BUSINESS.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE Feby. 7, 1923.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

RECEIVED FEB 24 1923

FEB 28 1923

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANK OF BRAZIL.

O. P. R.
FEB 10 1923

DATE February 9,1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

We acknowledge your two letters of January 18th and 20th, also translation of the bill passed by Congress in regard to the Bank of Emission, dated January 17th, all of which are most interesting.

This is good information for us to have in our files. However, we refrain from commenting on what you say since we know you will take the matter up with Mr. Claudet.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT

PROSPECTIVE TRIP TO BRAZIL OF MR CLAUDET.

DATE February 9,1923.

This is simply to acknowledge your letter of January 18th under the above heading, in connection with Mr. Claudet's trip to Brazil.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

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PACKET 314

FWG/IW

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

C. P. R.
FEB 14 1923

SUBJECT

NOTE ORDERS.

DATE February 13,1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

This is simply to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 23,under this heading.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

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FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

Mr. J. Claudet's arrival.

C. P. R.
MAR 15 1923

Feby.22,1923.

Mr. & Mrs. Claudet arrived safely on the 19th,inst.as you were duly apprised by the telegram sent (copy enclosed).

It is too soon to report yet but we hope to have something to say in the next few days.

Yours very truly,

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT THE BANK OF BRAZIL

DATE February 23, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

O. P. R.
FEB 24 1923

We have read with interest your letter of January 25th and note that Mr. Allen has been of assistance to you in laying our claims before the President of the Bank.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT PROSPECTS FOR BUSINESS (Bank Notes)

DATE February 23,1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

C. F. R.
FEB 24 1923

We have taken good note of the contents of your letter of February 7th under this heading and are looking forward anxiously to hear the result of Mr. Allen's interview with the President of the Bank of Brazil.

Your statement that you have heard that the 200$ note made by the Casa da Moeda has been counterfeited is no more than what has been expected; though you say you are not able to verify this report,it would seem easy enough to believe.

From a business standpoint we can not help but feel that this is more or less encouraging for us.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT Prospects for business.

C. P. R.
APR 4 1923

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE March 20, 1923.

We are watching every corner and have good hopes of getting what we are after. Mr. Claudet's illness has not interfered with business, as after the first interviews, which were very satisfactory, there has been no occasion for him to make any moves in the game. The Bank will have to ratify the Government plan at an extra general meeting of the shareholders. This extra meeting will have to be called by the regular general meeting to be held in a few days. Until then the President of the Bank does not care to act concerning the notes. So we hope that something definite will result soon and by thet time we also hope that Mr. Claudet will be quite well enough to treat.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

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FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

Mr. J. Claudet.

C. P. R. APR 17 1923

March 28,1923.

Mr. Claudet is still up in Petropolis and is steadily improving although recovery is necessarily slow. He still has occasional spells of coughing and must be subject to this until the discharge of catarrh ceases and that will only be after the inflammation of the left lung, the one affected, entirely subsidew. He still has a fraction of a degree of fever every afternoon and that will also, no doubt, last as long as there is any inflammation. The doctor is very well pleased with his progress, everything is going on well and all that can be done is being done.

Fortunately his absence has not caused any upset to business as we are held up until the Bank of Brazil has completed all arrangements concerning the new regime under which it is to operate. The President of the Bank does not want to do anything until the legal status of the new bank is perfected. This will depend upon a special meeting of the shareholders to be held very soon, but, as I have already said, the Government is the holder of a majority of the stock and the plan will be carried in accordance with the Government's expressed determination.

Yours very truly,

OTHER COPY IN PACKET 314 Mr. L. Trip Packet

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT Bank Notes For The Bank of Brasil.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE April 3, 1923.

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Before I go any further I will call your attention to the spelling now generally affected for BRASIL, not as in other days BRAZIL. I myself was brought up to the old way and generally use it, but we shall have to put it as they now do.

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3,310,000	---					

Of these portraits you have Dom Pedro II, Regente Feijó (last 1$000 notes made by us) and Deodoro da Fonseca (our last 20$ notes). We can again use our old and beautiful vignette of Dom Pedro II.

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They were impressed with the space in pantograph in the NewFoundland notes of $ 1., a sample of which I have in the small album I brought back with me, where the signature of the note is to go and it would be well to include this feature in your models.

Of course we want the Major tints and the best note we can provide. The longer our notes will stand out against counterfeiting the better will it be for our future here and thus our own interest in the matter is as great as theirs.

On the 1000 mil reis notes you can use where necessary the 1000 and where it is required to specify otherwise you can say UM CONTO DE REIS.

I will tell you that the Casa da Moeda is not going to take a defeat lying down and they have a strong pull. Another thing which does not help us is that exchange has started down hill again. I mention these points not by way of discouragement

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT Bank Notes For The Bank Of Brasil.

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I will tell you that the Casa da Moeda is not going to take a defeat lying down and they have a strong pull. Another thing which does not help us is that exchange has started down hill again. I mention these points not by way of discouragement

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT Bank Notes For The Bank Of Brasil (Continued)

no.2.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE April 3,1923.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

but because I want you to understand the entire situation here as I see it.

The sizes they ask for are as per the samples brought by Mr. Claudet--planchette paper-- as follows,--

20's	2,29/32	X	5,13/16
50's	2,31/32	X	6,5/32
100's	3,1/16	X	6,1/2
200's	3,1/8	X	6,13/16
500's	3,3/16	X	7,1/8
1000's	3,1/4	X	7,15/32

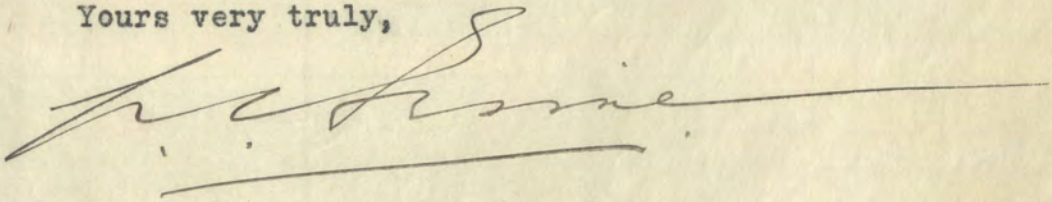
TEXT. They are not yet ready to give us exact details but say they do not think there will be any more than in the notes we have been supplying.

This proposed order is not very large,but it will mean,if we are fortunate enough to get it,in all probability,a large business for several years. As you know,it will not take long to put out this number in redeeming the outstanding money. It looks as if they mean to keep on with the Casa da Moeda for the small denominations,but I think we shall have a good chance on those too if we get the business well in hand.

It may be well to make our offer for the plates--it always being understood that the plates remain with us--and the prices so much per 1000. If they have to pay for the plates it will make them more chary about changing,as the Treasury has been always so willing to do.

Please make up models for what you can in regard to the foregoing and let us have them as quickly as you can.

Yours very truly,



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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY 70-72 BROAD ST. N.Y.

O.P.R. APR 10 1923

Rio, Rec'd April 6,1923.

ack 4/9/23

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EVGEXebpuh	April 6th Sent
ALKOHepzac	by last mail American Line
EVFYVdad	April 4th 2
AHTATafwuw	envelopes containing
AXVEKajhir	photographs for
ALRUKacjyt	model(s) bank notes
EJDIZecnel	Banco do Brazil Acknowledge by telegraph
AZSAPebtab	when you receive Have you shipped
EBSOL	shares

Due Apl 16

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APR 6 1923

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L.C.Irvine

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C. P. R. APR 10 1923

Date 314APR-623

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRAZIL

DATE April 9, 1923.

C. F. R.
APR 10 1923

Your cable of April 6th referring to the above was received and decoded as follows:

> "April 6th sent by last mail American Line April 4th 2 envelopes containing photographs for model bank notes Banco do Brazil acknowledge by telegraph when you receive."

Looking up the sailings of the Munson line we note that the S. S. "Southern Cross" left Rio on April 4th and is due here April 16th. Immediately upon receipt of the material to which you refer we will prepare a model and as further requested we will acknowledge receipt of this material by cable.

Yours very truly,

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

Mr. J. Claudet.

C. F. R.
MAY 16 1923

April 17, 1923.

It is with the greatest satisfaction that I write to say that Mr. Claudet's condition continues to improve and that he is now able to go out for rides and walks. He remains in Petropolis as that climate seems to be doing him great good. In Rio it has kept unseasonably warm and it is better for him to run no risk of any upset.

There is no telling how long it may take to get our business settled and he has decided to return by the "Pan America" to sail from Rio May 2nd. I think this is wiser and I feel sure that we shall be able to handle any matters arising, although it would be a big help to have Mr. Claudet here with his larger experience.

Yours very truly,

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PACKET 31

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANK NOTES FOR THE BANK OF BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

MAY 5 1923

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APR 30 1923

DATE April 17,1923.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

I wrote you April 3 and sent you afterwards (through the Agents of the steamer,the "Southern Cross",which was just about to sail)two envelopes containing
(1) Portraits of Sampaio Vidal(Finance Minister)
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Some views for backs
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The back of the 200$ note in question was a large-sized note,but I think the engraving will not be too big for the present requirement.

The text for the face of the note is

Na séde do
Banco do Brasil
se pagará ao portador desta,de accôrdo com a lei n.4635 A de 8 de Janeiro de 1923,a quantia de .....mil reis.

The amounts in mil reis are to be written respectively

Um conto de reis
Quinhentos mil reis
Duzentos " "
Cem " "
Cincoenta " "
Vinte " "

They have asked for the back of one of the notes the copy of a historical painting of the reading of the Constitution and I am trying to get a good photograph to send you for the purpose. I could not arrange it in time for this mail. We are obliged to do our best to please them.

Before the Bank can definitely act in all this business the General meeting of the shareholders will have to be held, but this will be called (at 24 hours notice) at any moment now.

Yours very truly,

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
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New York

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APR 20 1923

April 18,1923.

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BANKNOTE(L.C.Irvine)

RIO;

EVJEN ejdiz — April 18th
, Banco do Brazil

AXVEKazseg — photographs
received

ALRANenpab — models are being made

A.B.N.Co.

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JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

C. P. R. APR 20 1923

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April 18,1923.

BANKNOTE

RIO(Brazil)

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ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
John L. Merrill, President.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT Banco do Brasil

C. P. R. APR 20 1923

DATE April 19, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

With the original of your letter of April 3rd under the above heading we received the portrait of Dom Pedro I: with the duplicate of your letter which arrived one day after the original we received the two remaining portraits and views for the back of the notes.

In line with your suggestions we are preparing models of the six denominations using the material furnished, making these notes of a size to conform with the samples given Mr. Claudet. The text we have given for these notes reads as follows:

Banco do Brasil
Na thesouraria do Banco se pagará
ao portador a quantia de
(vinte) mil reis
valor recebido

In our model we are providing space for two signatures, for double numbers, double series and double estampas, treating them in the same manner as we have in the previous issues. Provision will also be made for the signature spaces along the lines of the Newfoundland notes to which reference was made. These designs will be prepared at the earliest possible moment and forwarded to you.

As requested in your previous letter we cabled you receipt of photographs etc. as follows:

"April 18th Banco do Brazil photographs received models are being made"

Yours very truly,

SHL/SD

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

D 5227

IV141

Date April 19, 1923. Model to S. E. Lane.
Wanted complete set as soon as possible.

O. P. 9. MAY 24 1923

BANK NOTES

General description Steel face, full Major Tint on face, steel back.

Quantities For first order approimately:- 2,000,000 of 20 mil reis
600,000 " 50 " "
300,000 " 100 " "
250,000 " 200 " "
80,000 " 500 " "
80,000 " 1000 " "

FACE PLATE

Title in full Banco do Brasil

Size of note ~~for work~~ trim: (20) 2,29/32 x 5,13/16 (50) 2,31/32 x 6,5/32 (100) 3,1/16 x 6,1/2
~~(200) 3,1/8 x 6,13/16 (500) 3,3/16 x 7,1/8 (1000) 3,1/4 x 7,15/32~~

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DENOMINATION
Words: Vinte Cincoenta Cem Duzentos Quinhentos Um Conto de Reis
Numerals: 20 50 100 200 500 1000

Text Same for all with change of denomination:

Banco do Brasil

Na thesouraria do Banco se pagará
ao portador a quantia de
(vinte) mil reis
valor recebido

General style left General style xx to artist but different than present notes in circulation.

Vignette Under heading remarks below.

Title of signing officers To come. Follow out idea of space for signatures in pantograph along the lines of Newfoundland $1 note.

Numbers Double Series also estampa to be typed same as on former issues.

Date line Provide space

Stub No Countersign No

Remarks Vignette face 20 Reis: Portrait (10) Sampaio Vidal herewith (new)
50 " " (20) Arthur Bernardes " "
100 " " (50) Deodoro da Fonseca (old) Vignette No. C-456
200 " " (100) Regente Feijó " " C-452
500 " " (200) Dom Pedro II " " C-80
1000 " " (1000) Dom Pedro I herewith (new)
(Show names in small letters under each portrait)

TINT

Kind of tint Full Major

Denomination on face

500 José Bonifacio C-451

Panto No

Color Left to artist

Remarks

BACK PLATE

Title Banco do Brasil

Denomination same as given above

Vignette Vignette back 20 Reis: Municipal Theater herewith (new)
50 " Rio Branco Avenue " "
100 " Niemeyer Avenue (This vignette will probably be
200 " Statue of Pedro I herewith (new) changed) new
500 " Entrance of the Bay (This vignette will probably be
1000 " Cry of Independence herewith (new) changed) new

Color

Remarks

TINT

Rio, Rec'd Apr.20,1923

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EVJORabvod	April 20th as it appears
EDGOFalmul	to us (me) may
ECMUCebzyx	take some weeks
EFREHaxjyp	[illegible] or
ALSALajhos	month (s) for our
ACZEWaclex	business to be
AGLOCalkor	decided can manage
EBZOFajkes	situation from
ERGUBecviz	New York therefore
AZCIDajxon	presence here
EDNOWstop	unnecessary Stop.
EBKOTevpyj	Shall sail May 2nd

PAN AMERICA

AZTINazmuz	Recover(ed) (ing) quite
ALZUSepxej	nicely

J.Claudet (IW)

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 314

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

MAY 29 1923

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT Notes for the Banco do Brazil.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE April 27,1923.

There is nothing new to impart in respect to this business except that the General Meeting for the ratification of the arrangement by which the Bank is to become a bank of emission will be held on the 2nd. of May. There can be no manner of doubt that the arrangement will go through as projected and after that it will be quite in order for the President of the Bank to go ahead with the order for the notes.

On the 19th,inst. I received your telegram in accordance with my request to inform me

BANKNOTE RIO DE JANEIRO
EVJENEJDIZ AXVEKAZSEG ALRANENPAB
(April 18---Banco do Brazil---Photographs---Received---
Models are being made---American Bank Note Co.)

Yours very truly,

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MAY 1st 1923

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MAY 1 1923

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY 70-72 BROAD ST. N.Y.
1923 MAY 15

C.P.R.
MAY 1 1923

April 30, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL - Model schedule 12141

Kindly note that the following is the corrected text for the face of the notes, all denominations, prepared for the Banco do Brasil under the above schedule number:-

Banco do Brasil

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Banco do Brasil
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lei n.4635 A de 8 de Janeiro de 1923, a quantia de
.....mil reis.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

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MAY 2 1923

Rio, Received May 1, 1923.

Banknote

New York

EVPUHahgim	May 1st Do not
ALKEHalruk	mail models
EJDIZambyc	Banco de Brazil nor
AZDETedpim	give price until we
ABZEZebkit	~~xR~~ arrive sailing tomorrow
AKKUMecxiz	in as much as time is essential
AJDETafjin	~~FACT~~ factor commence at once
(AHSEJ)? AHSEFaxxeh	steel engraving portrait(s)

J. Claudet (SD)

O.K. A.C.

20R. Sampaio Vidal
50R. Arthur Bernardes
1000R Don Pedro I.

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C. P. R.
MAY 4 1923

Date May 2, 1923.

Order Entered
By OYX
No. 7317/9
Date 5/3/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

a.c.c.r.

Kindly enter orders to engrave special portraits of the following:

For 20 reis note face - portrait - Sampaio Vidal 10 7317 ✓

" 50 " " " " Arthur Bernardes 20 7318

" 1000 " " " " Don Pedro I 1000 7319

These portraits are with Mr. Treadwell.

Further details to come.

Authority for Order Cable from Mr. Claudet May 1st.

Price to come

Delivery Dates

Terms MAY -2 '23

Shipping Instructions:—

Billing Instructions

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J. B. P. MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

FOREIGN DEPT.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANK NOTES FOR THE BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE May 2, 1923.

MAY 28 1923

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5/25/23

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

Please note that the original list has been modified and now stands as follows,--

Rs.1:000$ Face- D. Pedro I---Back, Grito de Ipyranga (of which you have an engraving on the back of a 200$ note issued early in the Republic.)

500$ " José Bonifacio (of whom you have a vignette in the last 500$ notes we made for them)-Back, Gloria Hill and Entrance to the Bay of Rio.- (Mr. Claudet takes a photo with him.)

200$ " D. Pedro II, whose vignette you have from the times of the Empire. The back of this note is to be the view which appears on the back of the last 100$ notes we made for them-- a view of the Sugar Loaf and the City.

100$ " Regente ~~XXXX~~ You have Feijó's vignette(1$notes) Feijó--Back, Canal do Mangue. Mr. Claudet takes this photo along with him.

50$ " Deodoro da Fonseca. You have this on our last 20$ notes. The back is to be Avenida Niemeyer the photo being sent with Mr. Claudet.

20$ " Arthur Bernardes. We are trying to get certain photos for this, but may not succeed by this steamer. That is, photos for the back.

10$ " Sampaio Vidal. (do.) (do.) (do.)

The 10$ is an addition to the first list sent.

The system for numbering is to be the same followed by the Federal Government. That is you will begin each note as ESTAMPA 1a. The series will be 100,000, each, the first series being Serie 1a.

As now contemplated, the total order will be

200,000	of	Rs.	1:000$
200,000	"	"	500$
500,000	"	"	200$
1,000,000	"	"	100$
2,000,000	"	"	50$
5,000,000	"	"	20$
10,000,000	"	"	10$
18,900,000	---		

They will want all of these printed and 1/2 shipped as soon as ready; the other half to be held, subject to orders from the Bank, up to Dec. 31, 1924. You will have to supply them from this stock at any time they so desire, within the specified period.

The Bank wants all shipments to be made, as has always been the case, to the Thesouro Nacional. This will facilitate despatch in the Custom House.

Quotations are to be understood as F.O.B. steamer--that is, placed on board, freight, insurance and all subsequent expenses being for the Bank's account. In the price quoted we shall understand that you have included 5% commission. This commission applies to reprint orders as well.

Yours very truly,

J. Claudet

6/13/23

Rio de Janeiro, - May 2, 1923

extract from I.C.I. letter ..... orig. filed in Brazil BANK NOTE pckt #575

"Mr. Claudet, sailing today ..... is also taking some photographs in connexion with the Banco de Brasil business .....

Photographs of Dr.Sampaio Vidal -- D.Pedro I -- Arthur Bernardes (2)
You have already had copies of these but Mr. Claudet thinks it better to send these in addition.

Views for the backs of notes -
Canal do Mangue
Avenida Niemeyer
Gloria Hill and entrance to Rio"

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

MAY 5 1923

DATE May 4, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

Your letter of April 17th has been duly received. We are glad to get at this time the text for the face of the note as the text which we had prepared differed materially from the one you furnished. We had already completed two of the models before making the changes to conform with your copy.

We will be able to work in very nicely the engraving which we have, 'The Independence of Brasil' for the back of one of these notes. Through the mail we have received two copies of your letter of May 3rd under the above heading. We are fearful that one of those was meant for your files and are returning same to you.

We enclose bulletin of one of the bond houses which gives a little interesting paragraph on Brasil. We thought you would be interested in seeing how opportunities for the investor in Brasil securities are being promoted.

Yours very truly,

OTHER COPY IN PACKET 193

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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DUPLICATE SENT

Rio de Janeiro.

May 12, 1923

extract from personal letter to Mr. Claudet, from L.C.I. (filed in #314)

"It will be important to get off the models with D. Pedro II as early as possible. The Company has face and back, both engravings having been in use - and this note will make a sensation. By getting it to them quickly we can do a big stroke of business I am sure.
If we get all the present business through I think we shall have an excellent chance to do something on the 5's, 2's and 1's, so as soon as you can, have them get to work to arrange nice and cheap notes of these denominations. However, they should not be so cheap as to make a poor note.
The President of the Bank of Brasil is bent on doing this with us and I am anxious to get everything fixed in order to prevent any possibility of slips. I am sending the Company a telegram in this connection on Monday morning".

COPY

C.F.R. MAY 28 1923

Rio, Rec'd May 14,1923

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EVSYZebneg	May 14th As soon as you can see
EPXEJazdet	J.Claudet give prices on
AGTESaczyw	They desire arrange the business
EGFUDaxgyx	with us at once
AKXYGaflow	Italian competition is very keen
ABMOWafmoc	Also our competitor in
ERLEXalkyl	Rio de Janeiro making
ECGOJazcyr	strong pressure
EBKIKaddiw	safety call for
ABFOTagpuj	action without delay

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_____L.C.Irvine

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MAY 14 1923

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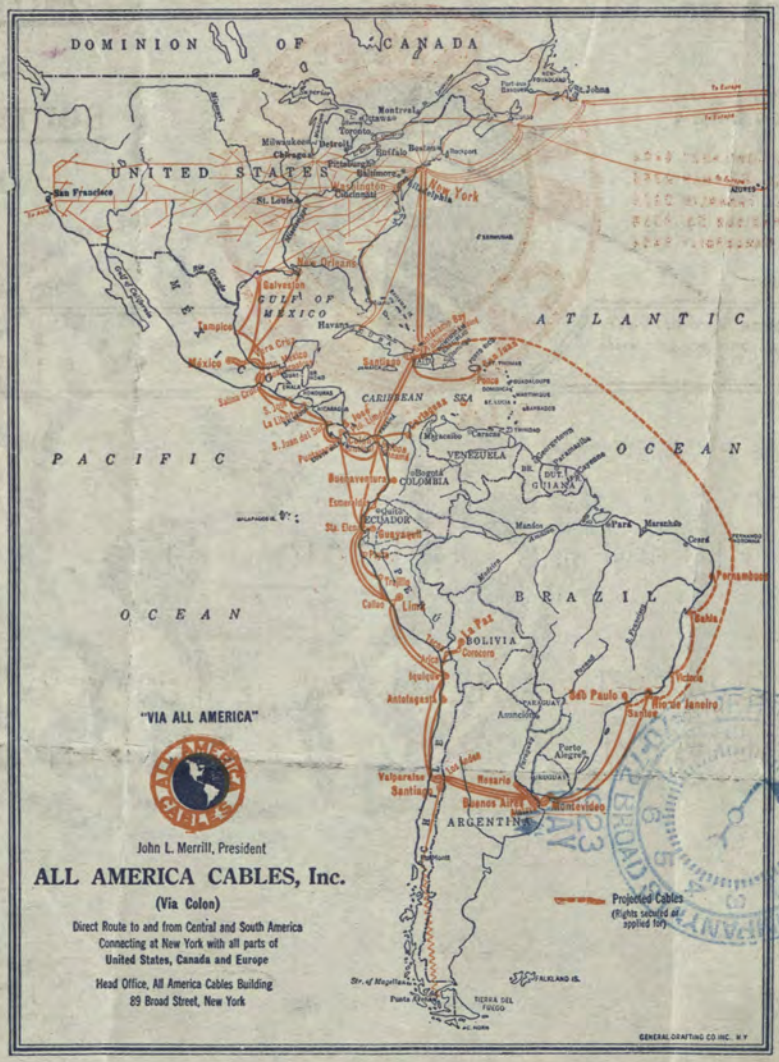

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRAZIL.

C.P.R. JUN 1 1923

ack 5/31/23

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE May 14,1923.

The General Meeting took place on the 2nd.inst. and,as was a foregone conclusion,sanctioned the arrangement which had been outlined and only depended on this approval.

The maximum dividend that the Bank will be allowed to pay will be 20%. On the strength of what the Bank will be able to do,the shares of the Bank went up to about 400. At this price the return could only be 5% and 5% Govt. bonds are now around 800,so the quotation indicates more confidence in the Bank that in the Govt.

The figures now published show that the Government owes the Bank Rs.832,723:456$. Of this the gold to be taken over by the Bank will pay,as agreed,Rs.300,000:000$000. Also,the Bank is obliged to advance to the Treasury,on Treasury bills to be repaid during the fiscal year up to an amount equal to 1/4 of the estimated receipts shown in the Budget,so it looks as if the Treasury's debit will be augmented before it is diminished.

The Bank's capital id Rs. 100,000:000$000, one half of which is the Government's share. The Reserve is shown at Rs. 40,000:000$000.

Calculated to cause reflection in considering the state of the Bank is the fact that a court gave a judgment against it a short time ago for Rs.30,000:000$000. This will have to go up to the Supreme Court and they may find a way out. The case is one of 30 years standing and grew out of a political persecution of that time. The Bank was made to help along the Government's game against an important capitalist and it only goes to show how dangerous is a combination of business and politics in Brazil.

Our State of Siege was prolonged to Dec.31 and the papers are not allowed to discuss the Bank,the Treasury,Exchange,etc.

It is officially stated that the outstanding currency amounts to Rs. 1,856,590:537$000.

The Banco Hypothecario Nacional is being formed under the wing of the Banco do Brazil,as an independent lagal entity,and I am writing you separately about it.

Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 28 1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

C.P.R. JUN 1 1923

ack 5/31/23

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE May 14,1923.

I am in receipt of your favour of April 19 under this heading. Since then you will have received subsequent advices from me and will have noticed that the text is somewaht different from that suggested by you. You speak of giving space for two signatures but they only desire to sign one name as has always been done in the case of the Treasury notes.

If we can get this note business through,we have hopes of interesting them in the 5$,2$ & 1$ notes and we think it would be well to get something ready to show them. But of course we don not care to complicate matters by trying too much at one time.

With the engravings to be used on the 200$ notes,you will be able to get those printed sooner than any others--you have already the engravings of D.Pedro II for the face and the back is the one now appearing on the last 100$ notes made by us. I think the reappearance of D. Pedro II will cause a sensation and will be well received by the public in general.

At the Bank they are being annoyed by the insistence of the Casa da Moeda and the Representative of Miliani and want to tell all competitors that they are tied up to us--we certainly have their good will in the matter and they will give us the order if they possibly can. At the same time it is not wise to run any unnecessary risk and we do not want to experience a slip. It is therefore wise to bring everything to a head as soon as we can and get it all closed. For that reason I have sent you a cable this morning for action as soon as you can understand with Mr. Claudet. I purposely refrained from using the names of our competitors as I did not want to risk anything getting out. We are under a state of siege and all telegrams sent have to be accompanied by a translation and I do not want any one to get wise to the situation so I veiled the language,knowing that it will,nevertheless,be intelligible to you.

Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 28 1923

FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

BANCO HYPOTHECARIO NACIONAL.

C. F. R.
MAY 31 1923

May 14,1923.

I am not yet able to give you more details as to the work contemplated. As a matter of fact, the project as now mapped out will have to go to Congress for approval.

The affair is being put through by the Bank of Brazil and the President will be the President of the Bank of Brazil.

The capital is to be furnished by the Federal Government--that is, they will deliver to the Bank of Brazil securities, in Treasury bonds at 5%, or Treasury obligations at 7%, to an amount which, sold prudently and slowly on the market will produce Rs.50,000:000$000. If this were done at present prices on 'Change, it would mean that the securities would have to be delivered to the amount of Rs.60,000:000$. At 5% this would mean an expenditure in interest by the Treasury of Rs.3,000:000$ per annum. According to the arrangement as now planned the Banco Hypothecario Nacional would credit this on their books to the Treasury at 4% interest, or, say, Rs.2,000:000$ interest per annum--a loss to the Treasury of Rs.1,000:000$ a year. Also the Government is to guarantee interest and amortization on the cedulas issued by the Bank--and this may be done up to Rs.1,000,000:000$. Altogether the Treasury is assuming pretty heavy obligations in this affair.

The Banco Hypothecario Nacional will be completely independent as a legal entity. One half of the profits are to go to the Bank of Brazil and the rest to the General Government (Treasury). Of the Bank of Brazil's profits, one half will go to the Currency Redemption Fund and one half to the Reserve Fund. They are over-confident of big banking profits--the whole success of all these extraordinary schemes is based on fabulous banking profits.

They are creating a very unsound situation.

Yours very truly,

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 787

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT Photographs (2) of the Monumento do Ypiranga.

(Per "WESTERN WORLD")---Separate cover.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE May 14,1923.

I enclose these photos for the back of the 10$ note,which has the portrait of Sampaio Vidal on the face. I wrote you about this under date of May 2. They want you to engrave under the picture the words "Monumento do Ypiranga".

I am trying for some other photos but have not succeeded in getting them yet.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT Banco do Brasil.

S/S "WESTERN WORLD"

(This is my third letter by this conveyance.)

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE May 15,1923.

C.P. JUN 1 1923 ack 5/31/23

I hand you a photo.of the Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte.

This is to go on the back of the 20$ note on the face of which is to appear the portrait of President Bernardes.

In this engraving they will want the words"Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte" to appear beneath the engraving.

You now have all the backs and faces for these notes,except the back of the 50$ note which may be changed. Dr. Cincinato Braga is very anxious to have an engraving from a painting in the President's Palace for this and we are trying to get it done. It should be ready for next steamer. There have been many difficulties in getting a good photo of this picture. It is a historical painting and will give a lot of work but we have no remedy--we must please them as much as we can.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

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Yours very truly,

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29 MAY 1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY 70 BROAD ST

568

May 16, 1923.

Mr. Ainley:

On January 22, 1923 you gave us suggested sizes for a new set of Brasilian notes. On style No. 2 we would like to consider 2 other denomination of notes, namely, 1 Milreis, and 2 Milreis.

These 2 denominations as well as the 5 Milreis for which you have already given us a size would probably be printed with a steel face, a prismatic tint and a full major back.

Will you kindly give me at your earliest convenience the size of the new 1 and 2 Milreis denominations.

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Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

SHL said he was not holding filing copy 6/5-CR

filing copy probably on some one's desk

O. P. R.
MAY 16 1923

May 16, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL

I am sending additional prints which Mr. Claudet brought with him from Brasil thinking that you might like to have them as follows:

1 Print	-	Sampaio Vidal
2 Prints	-	Arthur Bernardes
1 Print	-	Dom Pedro I
1 "	-	Entrance to the Bay
1 "	-	Avenida Niemeyer
1 "	-	Canal do Mangue

This canal scene is to go on the back of the 50 Milreis note.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

D 6556

No. 674

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

Date May 16, 1923.

REQUEST FOR ESTIMATE

MAY 23 1923

Name BANCO DO BRASIL

Country BRASIL

Description Bank notes

Style — Face steel Tint Full major tint Back steel

Quantity and Denomination

10,000,000	of	Rs.	10$
5,000,000	"	"	20$
2,000,000	"	"	50$
1,000,000	"	"	100$
500,000	"	"	200$
200,000	"	"	500$
200,000	"	"	1000$

Engraving: New portrait vignettes for 10,20 and 1000. Special vignettes for back for 10, 20, 50, 100 and 500

Previous Order Number Number on Delivered

Work Size

Overall Size (20) 2,29/32 x 5,13/16 (50) 2,31/32 x 6,5/32 (100) 3,1/16 x 6,1/2 (200) 3,1/8 x 6,13/16 (500) 3,3/16 x 7,1/8 (1000) 3,1/4 x 7,15/32

Kind of Paper J. M. Planchetted 29

Numbering Double numbers with estampa and series typed in red same as on previous issues Binding

Gumming Perforating

Special Operations Also estimate on the 10 Milreis using a J. M. 27 lb. paper.

ESTIMATE FURNISHED

Estimate as per Cost Card No. Date

Price Quoted Customer.....

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Commission (if any) included % Approved By

O. P. F.
MAY 24 1923

May 16, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL
Schedule 12141

We are returning herewith models of 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 and 1000 Milreis note, face and back, which you prepared on the above schedule with the following suggested changes:-

20 - Milreis - face - show portrait vignette Arthur Bernardes now shown on 50

50 - Milreis - face - show portrait vignette Deodoro de Fonseca now shown on 100
back - show vignette Canal do Mangue. (Photo herewith)

100 - Milreis - face - show portrait vignette Regente Feijo now shown on 200

200 - Milreis - face - show portrait vignette Dom Pedro II
back - view of sugar loaf and the city as shown on the last 100 Milreis note printed by us. C 460

500 - Milreis - face - show portrait vignette José Bonifacio, the same as used on the last 500 Milreis note.

1000 - Milreis - There are no changes on this denomination excepting series etc. as per the following:

On faces of all models show Estampa Ia and Serie Ia.
In text, show a little more space between the word Lei and the letter N
I will send you a separate memo concerning the preparation of models for the 1, 2, 5 and 10 Milreis notes.

SHL/SD

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

D 5227

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Date May 16, 1925. Supplementing schedule No. 12141

MAY 24 1923 Model to S. H. Lane

BANK NOTES

General description 10 Milreis note, steel face, full Major Tint on face, steel back

Quantities 10,000,000

FACE PLATE

Title in full BANCO DO BRASIL

Size of note ~~for work~~ trim 2 13/16 x 5 17/32

DENOMINATION { Words Dez
Numerals 10

Text With change of denomination same as models of other denominations just prepared. All other general details the same.

General style

Vignette Portrait vignette Sampaio Vidal which you now have on the 20Rs.

Title of signing officers

Numbers Series

Date line

Stub Countersign

Remarks

TINT

Kind of tint Full Major

Denomination on face

Panto No

Color Left to artist

Remarks

BACK PLATE

Title Banco do Brasil

Denomination same as given above

Vignette Special vignette, President's palace - Bello Horizonte (2 photos herewith)

Color

Remarks

TINT

American Bank Note Company
Hunts Point, Bronx, N.Y.

Office of the General Superintendent.

C. P. R.
MAY 19 1923

May 18, 1923.

file

Mr. S. H. Lane,

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

Banco do Brasil

In answer to your inquiry of May 16th regarding the 1, 2, and 5 Milreis Brazil notes, I am furnishing you with the following data:

1 Milreis-------	Trim size note-----2-13/32 x 4-13/16	X
	Work size " ---- 2-5/32 x 4-9/16	36 on
	Paper size-------- 20-3/4 x 23-13/32	
2 Milreis-------	Trim size note-----2-1/2 x 5-1/32	X
	Work size " -----2-1/4 x 4-25/32	36 on
	Paper size-------- 21-5/8 x 24-1/4	
5 Milreis-------	Trim size note-----2-23/32 x 5-1/4	X
	Work size " ---- 2-15/32 x 5	32 on
	Paper size 22-1/2 x 23-1/2	

I hope that this will serve your purpose.

EA/GB

E Ames

D 5227

File

Supplementing schedule 12141

Date May 16, 1923. COPY MAY 24 1923 Model to S. H. Lane

BANK NOTES

General description Steel face, prismatic tint on face, full major back

Quantities 20,000,000 - Rs. 1$
15,000,000 - Rs. 2$
10,000,000 - Rs. 5$

FACE PLATE

Title in full BANCO DO BRASIL

Size of note ~~for work~~ trim 1) 2 13/32 x 4 13/16 2) 2⅜ x 5 1/32 5) 2 23/32 x 5 1/4

DENOMINATION
Words um dois cinco
Numerals 1 2 5

Text With change of denomination same as models of other denominations just prepared.

General style ~~Special C.450.~~ Marques de Olinda

Vignette $1) Dr. A. Penna - Special C-446 $2) ~~Marshal Deodoro - Special C-456~~
$5) Rio Branco - Special C-384

Title of signing officers

Numbers Series

Date line

Stub Countersign

Remarks

TINT

Kind of tint Prismatic - Print with major back

Denomination

Panto

Color Left to artist

Remarks

BACK PLATE

Title Full major back
Banco do Brasil

Denomination

Vignette Work in with design coat-of-arms of Brasil.

Color

Remarks

TINT

D 6556

No. 675

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

Date May 18, 1923.

REQUEST FOR ESTIMATE

Name BANCO DO BRASIL

O. P. R. MAY 28 1923

File

Country BRASIL

Description Bank notes

Style — Face steel Tint prismatic Back full major

Quantity and Denomination

20,000,000 - 1 Milreis Est 36 on
15,000,000 - 2 " " 36 "
10,000,000 - 5 " " 32 "

Engraving Stock portrait vignettes for faces. Coat of arms for major back

Previous Order Number Number on Delivered

~~Work Size~~

Overall Size Rs. 1$ - 2 13/32 x 4 13/16
Rs. 2$ - 2½ x 5 1/32
Rs. 5$ - 2 23/32 x 5 1/4

Kind of Paper Paper: J. M. Planchetted 25 Also estimate on ~~the 5~~ using No. 27 Estimate on this

Numbering Double numbers with estampas and series typed in red same as on previous issues.

Binding

Gumming

Perforating

Special Operations

ESTIMATE FURNISHED

Estimate as per Cost Card No. 10244 Date May 25/23.

Price Quoted Customer JM 27.- 1$ - 478 + 1/3 + 5 - 6.69 Say 7.
" 2$ - 491 " " 6.87 " 7.50
5$ - 555 " " 7.42 " 8.50

Commission (if any) included 5 %

Approved By

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

O. P. R.
MAY 23 1923

May 19,1923.

Mr. H. R. Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Dept.

BANCO DO BRASIL

I am returning herewith the following models brought back from Rio by Mr. Claudet and which are of no further use and may be cancelled:-

100 Milreis note face and back, prepared on schedule 7997 - December 3,1917.

Asst.Manager Foreign Dept.

PACKET 314

SHL/IW

RECEIVED
MAY 19 1923
J. B. P.

Rio, Rec'd May 21,1923

C. P. R. MAY 28 1923

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EVVUGeshoz	May 19th Refer to our telegram of 14th
EDRICabsux	in urgent need of answer
AJKERakhyz	Our friends are becoming impatient

L.C.Irvine

FOREIGN DEPT. MAY 21 1923

(IW)

Form 1287

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

C. P. R. MAY 28 1923

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, (CENTRAL CABLE OFFICE,) NEW YORK, N. Y. ALWAYS OPEN

1923 MAY 19 PM 12 24

1923 MAY 19 PM 12 29

PRODUCE EXCHANGE N.Y.

MI NL2/19 EB

RIODEJANEIRO 5 1030A 19 WU

BANKNOTE AMERICAN BANKNOTE CO

NYK 472 70 BROAD STREET

EVVUGESHOZ EDRICABSUX AJKERAKHYZ

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 21 1923

1925 MAY 19 PM 12 26

May 21,1923

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

BANKNOTE(L.C.Irvine)

RIO.

EVWAJejdiz	May 21st Banco do Brasil
EGMOGagkex ajzin	Taking into consideration wexwikkx hope to
AJLYCod	furnish bank notes
AHKAMlife	during life
AXFYJxfxyx ejdiz	of xanxrxex Banco do Brasil
AFXYNaxfyj	contract of
FUXegkib	10 years
AHSEGecfex	No charge being made for engraving. Stop.
AZFEBacjiz	Our very lowest price based upon
AZMEGalfer	quantities in accordance with your letter of
EVPYJajhyl	May 2nd are as follows
EHMYBgagip	Notas de 10 Milreis 12 Dollars
EHMACgokip	Notas de 20 Milreis 15 Dollars
EHMIChegip	Notas de 50 Milreis 18 Dollars
EHMOChucip	Notas de 100 Milreis 21 Dollars
EHMUCjohip	Notas de 200 Milreis 25 Dollars
EHMYCmyxip	Notas de 500 Milreis 45 Dollars
CYGdierpok	1000 Milreis

AMDABnepip	Notes 47 Dollars
NUTizazfef	50 cents Price per 1000 U.S.Gold,FOB New York.
ECFEXebtyp	Stop. First shipment will be made
~~EHMUG~~x EHMUC abrij	Notas de 200 Milreis and
CYGdierpok	1000 Milreis
EFREJfux	about .....weeks 10
ABWYDecnyl	after approval of models by telegraph
ECFEXalrov	Stop. Models will be sent
EVWYP	May 26th

MUNSON LINE

ECFEX efgof M	Stop. Special vignette
AXXEHefrif	portraits well under way
AJVOX afsos	We should have immediate confirmation
ECNYLaxfyj	by telegraph of
ACJYRabdof	Banks acceptance

5/21/23

BANKNOTE

(IW)

MEXICAN TELEGRAPH CO.
CONNECTING WITH
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN TELEGRAPH CO.
64 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK
TELEPHONE BROAD 672

JAMES A. SCRYMSER, FOUNDER

ALL AMERICA CABLES

NUMBER
TIME
M. M.
CHECK

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

VIA COLON

May 21,1923

BANKNOTE

RIO (Brazil)

EVWAJEJDIZ ECMOGAJZIN AJLYCOD AHKAMLIFE
AXFYJEJDIZ AFXYNAXFYJ FUXEGKIB AHSEGECFEX
AZFEBACJIZ AZMEGALFER EVPYJAJHYL EHMYBGAGIP
~~ExMxMxxxGxGxKx~~ EHMACGOKIP EHMICHEGIP EHMOCHUCIP
EHMUCJOHIP EHMYCMYXIP CYGDIERPOK AMDABNEPIP
NUTIZAZFEF ECFEXEBTYP EHMUCABRIJ CYGDIERPOK
EFREJFUX ABWYDECNYL ECFEXALROV EVWYP MUNSON
LINE ECFEXEFGOF AXXEHEFRIF AJVOXAFSOS
ECNYLAXFYJ ACJYRABDOF

BANKNOTE

E. Williams

PRINCIPAL OFFICES

MEXICAN TELEGRAPH CO.
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY

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San Juan del Letrán y Av. Independencia.
Puerto Mexico.
Salina Cruz.
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Callao,
Lima,
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Serrano 150,
Antofagasta,
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Huerfanos No. 1041.
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Mendoza,
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CONNECTING WITH ALL THE WORLD

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May 22, 1923

T O Williams' letter to Mr. Seitz . . . . . .

re : model 7997 Banco do Brazil 100 Milreis Note

filed in Brazil BANK NOTE packet #575

C.P.R.
MAY 28 1923

5/24/23

Rio, Rec'd May 22,1923.

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 22 1923

EVKEWespyz	May 22nd Refer to your telegram of 21st
AXKIRedsox	Order has been awarded to us for verbally
ADCIHecwag	but they think
AXLISaznag	you ought to quote
AZDIXehmyc	lower prices Notas de 500 Milreis
ABRIJcygdi	and 1000
EDRUCakbed	It is very urgent Hurry
EHMYBehmac	Notas de 10 Milreis Notas de 20 Milreis
ACNOCenpeh	because Casa Moeda,Rio de Janeiro
EDLYCecjav	are unable to supply
AZHOMensid	what has been promised Caixa de Amortização
ADKOXehmib ~~xEE2X~~	There is a chance Notas de 1 Milreis
EHMOBehmub	Notas de 2 Milreis Notas de 5 Milreis
ALRAZabrij	Send us models and
AZDALeblec	prices same
ECFYCaxxov	steamer if possible
AJKERafsud	Our friends have full confidence in
EGLUHakzug	your judgment

AJGYCedhox Feel
assured of fair treatment.

C_____

L.C.Irvine.

(IW)

Form 1

ALL AMERICA CABLES
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH CO.
MAIN OFFICE: 89 BROAD STREET
(All America Cables Building)
NEW YORK

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500 FIFTH AVE., COR. 42ND ST.	TEL. VANDERBILT 9464

JAMES A. SCRYMSER, FOUNDER

VIA ALL AMERICA

UNITED STATES and SOUTH AMERICA DIRECT

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

When replying to this message, telephone Broad 7470, or any of the above branch offices, and messenger will be sent immediately.

VIA COLON

C. P. R. MAY 28 1923

FOREIGN DEPT.

MU1 RI X130

DEL 253 MAY 22 '23

Date

RIODEJANEIRO 21 238P 22ND

FILED AT NEW YORK

BANKNOTE NY

MAY 22 1923

EVWEKESPYZ AXKIREDSOX ADCIHECWAG AXLISAZNAG AZDIXEHMYC

ABRIJCYGDI EDRUCAKBED EHMYBEHMAC ACNOCENPEH EDLYCECJAV

AZHOMENSID ADKOXEHMIB EHMOBEHMUB ALRAZABRIJ AZDALEBLEC

ECFYCAXXOV AJKERAFSUD EGLUHAKZUG AJGYCEDHOX.

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VIA "ALL AMERICA"

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May 23, 1923

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5/24/23

BANKNOTE

RIO (BRASIL)

C.P.R.
MAY 28 1923

EVWILessab	May 23rd Refer to your telegram 22nd
AFTAFedgah	our heartiest congratulations to you
ABRIJ	and
QUillor	Allen
ADGIDajxok	you can help
EDREDajtud	us hasten
EGGIDaxgyr	work on
FUXerpok	10 Milreis
HOJerpok	20 Milreis
ADCAVagloc	by deciding
AXBESacjab	now back
EFDAKazbek	vignettes will give preference to
ECWYCagryw	these two denominations
ECFEXegbyd	Stop Will
ALNISegluh	meet your
EGDONazvub	wishes reduce

DUJCEerpok	500 Milreis
EDGIDmipip	to 42 dollars
NUTizECFEX	50 cents stop
CYGDIerpok	1000 Milreis
EDGIDmyxip	to 45 dollars
UVecwun	per thousand [illegible]. this
AZVIFakzoh	reduction leave the matter to your judgment

BANKNOTE (SD)

Form 101

ALL AMERICA CABLES

MEXICAN TELEGRAPH CO.

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JAMES A. SCRYMSER, FOUNDER

VIA ALL AMERICA

ALL AMERICA CABLES

VIA COLON

NUMBER

TIME

MM

CHECK

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

FULL RATE	DEFERRED RATE	WEEK END LETTER

Mark with X class of Service desired.
Messages unclassified by sender will be sent as Full Rate.

Mark with X class of Service desired.
Messages unclassified by sender will be sent as Full Rate.

May 23, 1923.

BANKNOTE
RIO (BRAZIL)

EVWILESSAB AFTAPEDGAH ABRIJ QUILLOR ADGIDAJXOK

EDREDAJTUD EGGIDAXGYR FUXERPOK HOJERPOK

DCAVAGLOC AXBESACJAB EFDAKAZBEK ECWYCAGRYW

ECFEX EGBYD ALNISEGLUH EGDONAZVUB DUJCEERPOK

EDGIDMIPIP NUTIZECFEX CYGDIERPOK EDGIDMYXIP

UVECWUM AZVIFAKZOH

BANKNOTE

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No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning messages until the same are presented and accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a message is sent to such office by one of the Company's messengers, or by a messenger of any other company, he acts as the agent of the sender for the purpose of delivering the message and any notice or instructions regarding it to the Company's agent in its said office. Any message sent to the Company's office by private wire or by telephone or by telegraph or through a connecting telegraph, cable, or radio company is sent at the sender's risk of errors or failures in such service and all of the terms and conditions herein shall apply to the message throughout, and the person receiving such message by private wire or by telephone or by telegraph or through a connecting telegraph, cable, or radio company acts for that [redacted] as the agent of the sender, and is authorized to [redacted] to these conditions on behalf of the sender.

It is agreed that this Company shall not be liable for damages in any case where the claim is not presented to it in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with this Company for transmission.

It is agreed that the exemptions above stated shall apply both to Mexican Telegraph Company and to All America Cables, Incorporated.

The above terms and conditions shall be binding upon the receiver as well as the sender of this cablegram.

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
John L. Merrill, President.

Rio, Rec'd May 23,1923

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(2)

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

O.P.R. MAY 28 1923

EVWiLessec May 23rd
Refer to your telegram of 23rd

AXVEKebdal photographs
required

EBPUHevvec sent
May 16th

AZVIfabbah Reduction
we are holding in abeyance

L.C.Irvine

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 23 1923

(IW)

Form 1281

WESTERN UNION

CABLEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

TIME OF RECEIPT SHOWN ON THIS MESSAGE IS EASTERN STANDARD TIME

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

MI NL16/23 CB

RIODEJANEIRO 6 420PM 23 WU

BANKNOTE American Bank Note Co
632 70-72 Broad St.
NEWYORKNY

RCD MAY 23 PM 2 39
PRODUCE EXCHANGE

EVWILESSEC AXVEKEBDAL EBPUHEVVEC AZVIFABBAH

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 23 1923

RECEIVED

Rio, Rec'd May 23,1923

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EVWILesjyk — May 23rd
Refer to our telegram of 22nd

AXKOJahwas — Have received official order
everything is now in order

AXTIDalrym — pending
models are approved

L.C.Irvine

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 23 1923

(IW)

WESTERN UNION CABLEGRAM

Form 1281

1923 MAY 23 PM 2:05

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

MI NL13/23 NE

RIODEJANEIRO 5 303P 23 WU

BANKNOTE

NEWYORK

EVWILESJYK AXKOJAHWAS AXTIDAIRYM

FOREIGN DEPT.

MAY 23 1923

RECEIVED

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
70-72 BROAD STREET
1923
MAY
23

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

Order Entered
By OTK
No. 7317/18
Date 5/24/23

May 23, 1923

C. P. R.
MAY 26 1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT:-

BANCO DO BRASIL

Please note following changes on following orders:-

F7317 - face vignette to be used for 10 Milreis instead of 20. (order to come) 9/531083

F7318 - face vignette to be used for 20 Milreis instead of 50. (order to come) 9/531084

F7319 - face vignette to be used for 1000 Milreis (This one is O.K.)

Asst.Manager Foreign Department.

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RECEIVED
MAY 24 1923
J. B. P

D 5225

F7317

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

C. P. R. MAY 25 1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT
AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Date May 23, 1923.

Order Entered
By OFK
No. F7317
Date 5/24/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL,
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

10 MILREIS NOTES.

Trimmed size 2 13/16" x 5 17/32"

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Sampaio Vidal" (F7317).

Steel engrave note back - vignette to come.

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 10,000,000 notes. (paper J.M.29 scattered planchette).

PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME.

IDENTITY MAY 24 1923

Estimate based on printing this denomination 28 on.

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Shipping Instructions:—

Billing Instructions

Price

Terms

MAY 24 '23

RECEIVED MAY 24 1923

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

D 5225

7318

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Please furnish

C. P. R.
MAY 25 1923

Date May 23,1923

Order Entered
By OMC
No. F7318
Date 5/24/23

BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

20 MILREIS NOTES

Trimmed size 2 29/32" x 5 13/16"

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Arthur Bernardes".
(new - prepared on order F7318)

Steel engrave note back - special vignette to come.

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 5,000,000 notes. (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette)

PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME

Estimate based on printing this denomination 21 on.

DEPT.
MAY 24 1923

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

C. P. R. MAY 25 1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Date May 23,1923.

Order Entered
By 0777
No. F7336
Date 5/24/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

50 MILREIS NOTES.

Trimmed size - 2 31/32" x 6 5/32".

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Deodoro de Fonseca" C#456.
(~~new - prepared on order~~

Steel engrave note back - with special vignette of "Canal do Mangue" (new)

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 2,000,000 notes (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette).

Estimate based on printing this order 21 on.

PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME

I.D.E. MAY 24 1923

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

C. P. R.
MAY 25 1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Date May 23,1923

Order Entered
By O.K.
No. F7337
Date 5/24/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL.

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

100 MILREIS NOTES.

Trimmed size -3 1/16" x 6 1/2".

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Regente Feijó" (C-452).

Steel engrave note back - with special vignette "Niemeyer Avenue" (new).

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 1,000,000 notes (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette).

Estimate based on printing this order 21 on.

PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

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MAY 25 1923

Date May 23,1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT
AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Order Entered
By OTA
No. 7338
Date 5/24/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL.

Rio de Janeiro,Brasil.

200 MILREIS NOTES.

Trimmed size 3 1/8" x 6 13/16"

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Dom Pedro II"(C-80).

Steel engrave note back - with special vignette "Sugar Loaf and City" (No. C-460).

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 500,000 notes. (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette).

Estimate based on printing this order 18 on. June 18 Lay changed to 15 on

PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME.

D.E.W.
MAY 24 1923

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ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

O. D. R. MAY 25 1923

Date May 23,1923

Order Entered
By OPK
No. F 7339
Date 5/24/23

Please furnish

BANCO DO BRASIL ·

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brasil.

500 MILREIS NOTES ·

Trimmed size 3 3/16 x 7 1/8 ·

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "José Bonifacio" (C-451)·

Steel engrave note back - with special vignette "Gloria Hill and "Entrance to the Bay of Rio" (new)

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 200,000 notes (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette)·

Estimate based on printing this order 15 on·

·PRINTING ORDER AND OTHER DETAILS TO COME

J.D.E. NY MAY 24 1923

Authority for Order

Price 8 1/4 MAY 24 '23

Delivery Dates

Terms

Shipping Instructions:—

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MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

D 5225

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C.P.D. MAY 25 1923

Date May 23,1923

Order Entered
By OAX
No. 7319
Date 5/25/23

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brasil.

1000 MILREIS NOTES

Trimmed size 3 1/4 x 7 15/32

Steel engrave note face carrying special portrait vignette of "Dom Pedro I" (new) (F7319).

Steel engrave note back - with special vignette "Cry of Independence" (C-418)

Prepare engraving for full Major tint on face.

Order paper for 200,000 notes (Paper J.M.29 scattered planchette)

Estimate based on printing this order 15 on

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MAY 24 '23

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MAY 24 1923
J.B.P.

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

Per "SOUTHERN CROSS"

COPIES PER "VAN DYCK"

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE May 24th, 1923.

I am very glad to be able to confirm our having obtained the order for 18,900,000 notes. As the President of the Bank was manifesting some impatience due to their desire to obtain the notes and because of the insistence of Miliani's representative and the Casa da Moeda, both of whom were perpetually bothering him, I was constrained to cable you as I did May 19th. I received your answer of May 21st. on the morning of the 22nd. and at once addressed to Dr. Cincinato Braga a letter of same date making the offer. On receiving it he informed us verbally that everything was all right and acceptable, merely making some demur at the prices of the notes for Rs.1:000$ and 500$, but I am pretty sure that the other prices were considered reasonable.

He expressed a strong desire to hurry up the 10$ and 20$ notes because the Casa da Moeda has fallen down in supplying these to the Caixa de Amortização and a consequent shortage is being felt in these denominations,--a shortage which the Bank can relieve when it gets out notes. I suspect, though, that the desire to flatter the President and the Minister, whose respective portraits appear on these notes, plays some part in the hurry. These notes are the largest part of the order and it is likely that they will want all, or nearly all of these at once, so it will be a good thing all round if we can please them in the matter.

It begins to look like some more business and for that reason we asked for models of 5's, 2's & 1's. We had some talk concerning this possibility with Mr. Claudet before he left. I feel pretty sure they will want the 5's, but the other two may prove more difficult. The people in the Bank have been so cordial and

have shown us so much confidence that I thought I should mention it in my telegram and did so. Yesterday, I received the official order and telegraphed to that effect. A few minutes later I received your telegram of yesterday and ~~answered~~ answered that the photographs for the backs of the 10's and 20's had gone forward May 16. The steamer, "Western World", should reach New York in a few days now and you will be able to go ahead on those two. Of course, they still want the 200$ and other notes. You have so much ready for the 200$ notes that it will be desirable to come quickly too--and I have great hopes of the impression of the Emperor's likeness on the public mind. It ought to reflect great credit on the Company. But they seem to want the 10's and 20's above all the rest.

As they had not said anything more about the prices of the 1:000$ and 500$ notes, and the abatement, as offered, not being large enough to make much difference to them, I thought it better to do nothing further at present. When I receive letters from you it will be time enough to decide about that.

I enclose copies of all the telegrams exchanged, as mentioned above, copy of my letter of May 22 to Dr. Cincinato Braga, making the offer, a translation of the same and the letter of May 23, confirming the acceptance of our offer, together with a translation. I think you will find everything set forth clearly and in order. In my letters I made one small slip, stating that the first shipment of 200$ and 1:000$ notes would be made in 10 weeks from time of approval of models, instead of <u>about</u> 10 weeks. The discrepancy is so slight that I have not tried to correct it here. The sooner

we get notes the better it will be for all parties concerned. Please remember to cable me advice of all shipments and in case of any unexpected delays please advise me promptly so that I can take immediate steps to explain here.

The only thing now lacking is the photo.for the back of the 100$ note and we have had difficulties in arranging the photo of the paimting which they wish to go on the back. The painting is in the President's Palace and we hope to send it by this mail. Dr,Cincinato has asked us to arrange photo of another painting and we are having it taken--we do not know for what it is wanted, possibly for 5$ notes. There has been considerable expense in re photos. The photographer,Musso,is one of the best here and he had to send to São Paulo and Bello Horizonte to get the " O Monumento do Ypiranga" and the "Palacio da Liberdade". Under separate cover I send you the duplicates of these two photos.

Look up engravings on old notes of Brazil and the Banco do Brasil which will do for backs. I think there was a note with an engraving of the Martyrdom of Saint Sebastion and one of the Primeira Missa no Brasil (The First Mass in Brasil) and on one of the early 200$ Republican notes (back) there is an engraving about which I spoke to Mr. Claudet. Anything of this kind might come in very conveniently,to save time and expense. They will want about 75 specimen notes of each denomination to send to their Agencies. Please do not overlook this with first shipments.

Proofs. They will be in too much of a hurry to wait for proofs and will only be too glad,I am sure,to let you pass on them.The models are all they want to see. Yours very truly,

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL. (continued)

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK n.3. DATE May 24,1923.

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TRANSLATION.

C.P.R. JUN 18 1923

Rio de Janeiro, May 22, 1923.

FOREIGN DEPT. JUN 12 1923

His Excellency

Dr. Cincinato Braga,

Very Worthy President of the

Banco do Brasil,---

Referring to the various conversations had with Your Excellency regarding the supplying of the notes which the Bank means to issue in virtue of the powers granted to it by the Federal Government, I come respectfully to submit the following offer received telegraphically from the Company which I represent, the American Bank Note Company :--

per ?

200,000	notes of	Rs.1:000$	at	$ 47.50
200,000	"	" 500$	"	$ 45.00
500,000	"	" 200$	"	$ 25.00
1,000,000	"	" 100$	"	$ 21.00
2,000,000	"	" 50$	"	$ 18.00
5,000,000	"	" 20$	"	$ 15.00
10,000,000	"	" 10$	"	$ 12.00
18,900,000	"			

which will have a steel engraving on the face, each note having included in the engraving the portrait specified lower down and also a combination of figures of lines of various colours intertwined and known under the name of "Major Process". The back will have an engraving on steel, as is explained below.

The notes of Rs.1:000$ will have, on the face, the portrait of D.Pedro I and, on the back, an engraving of the painting "Grito de Ypiranga",--

The notes of " 500$ will have, on the face, the portrait of José Bonifacio and, on the back, the view of the "Morro da Gloria" and the entrance to the Bay of Guanabara",--

The notes of " 200$ will have, on the face, the portrait of D.Pedro II and, on the back, the view of the "Pão de Assucar" and part of the City of Rio de Janeiro,-

The notes of " 100$ will have, on the face, the portrait of the Regente Feijó and, on the back, a view of the Canal do Mangue,-

The notes of " 50$ will have, on the face, a portrait of Deodoro da Fonseca and, on the back a view not yet selected,---

The notes of " 20$ will have, on the face, the portrait of the President of the Republic and, on the back, "O Palacio da Liberdade", in Bello Horizonte,-

The notes of " 10$ will have, on the face, the portrait of the Minister of Fazenda, Dr. Sampaio Vidal and, on the back, "O Monumento do Ypiranga".

The numbering will be on the same system followed by the Federal Government,--each denomination commencing with Estampa 1a, each 100,000 constituting a series. The numbering will appear on the face, on each side of the note, once on the upper half and once on the lower half of the note. All of this will be clearly set forth on the models which the Company is preparing and will send as soon as it can for the approval of Your Excellency.

The notes will bear the words " Na séde do Banco do Brasil se pagará ao portador desta, de accôrdo com a lei n.4635 A de 8 de Janeiro de 1923, a quantia de.....mil reis."

All of these details will be carefully adjusted when we receive the models.

The prices will be, per thousand, placed on board the steamer in New York, all the other expenses being for account of the Banco do Brasil. The Company will pay, in New York, the freight and Marine Insurance, adding the same to the respective accounts. The notes will be prepared and put up, boxed and directed to the National Treasury (THESOURO NACIONAL) as has been done in the supplies to the Federal Government and the Bank will assume the responsibility of receiving the boxes from on board the steamers, either directly, or through the Guarda-Moria, under special care, and without the intervention of any other department of the Custom House. (NOTE--The Guarda-Moria is the Custom House Department which has under its vigilance the prevention of smuggling in the Port--I think the corresponding term with us is Harbour Master's Department.) (It has been customary for the Guarda-Moria to attend to the reception of the notes and they have turned them over to the Caixa de Amortização).

As the shipments of notes are received the Bank will promptly verify them and will then make the respective payments in New York through their banking correspondents in that City.

The Company, once our offer is accepted, will get ready as soon as possible one half of the order, shipping it as the notes are

printed, and the other half will be got ready promptly and kept in the Company's Strong Room awaiting the orders of the Bank until Dec.31,1924. At the end of this period, the American Bank Note Company will have the right to ship the stock then remaining, saving some other agreement between the two parties.

It is necessary to sall attention to an invariable rule of our Company, to wit,--They never deliver plates to any one. The plates are, for all other effects, the property of our clients. If the clients desire to inutilize the plates, the destruction is carried out in the presence of their representative duly authorized. However, taht system has proved entirely satisfactory to all of our friends.

The telegram of the Company containing the offer, received to-day, said also that the models will go forward by the Munson Line steamer leaving New York May 26th., due to arrive in Rio June 7th. The Company has commenced work in conformity with what was understood verbally with Your Excellency. Once the models are approved the Company, thus advised by telegraph, will work at top speed and make a shipment of 200$ and 1:000$ notes in 10 weeks from the reception of that advice.

In conclusion, I cannot help saying that it is my sincere conviction that, in view of the quality we offer, the security against counterfeiting and the well-proved durability of our notes, that there is not another establishment in the world that can make as advantageous an offer as ours.

Awaiting the orders of Your Excellency, etc., etc.

(signed) L. C. Irvine,
Representative of the American Bank Note Company.

Rio de Janeiro.

Copy of telegram received May 22,1923.

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TRANSLATION

May 21
Banco do Brasil
Taking into consideration
Hope to
Furnish
Bank notes
During
Life
Of
Banco do Brasil
Contract
Of
10
Years
No charge being made for engraving
Stop
Our lowest prices
Based upon
Quantity
In accordance with your letter of--
May 2
Are as follows
Notas de 10 mil reis
12
Dollars
Notas de 20 mil reis
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Notes
47
Dollars
50 cents,U.S.Gold
Price per thousand,U.S.Gold,f.o.b.New York
Stop
First shipment will be made
Notas de 200 mil reis

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And
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000
Mil reis
About.....weeks
10
After approval of models
By telegraph
Stop
Models will be sent
May 26
Munson
Line
Stop
Special vignette
Portrait(s)
Well under way
We should have
Immediate confirmation
By telegraph
Of
Bank
Acceptance
BANKNOTE

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
L. O. IRVINE
MAI 22 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

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22 de Maio de 1923.

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 12 1923

Exmo. Snr.

Dr. Cincinato Braga,

M. D. Presidente do Banco do Brasil,---

Referindo-me ás varias conversas tidas com V. E. em referencia ao supprimento de notas que o Banco do Brasil pretende emittir em virtude dos poderes a elle outorgados pelo Governo Federal, venho respeitosamente submetter a seguinte proposta recebida telegraphicamante da Companhia que represento, a American Bank Note Company :--

200,000	notas de	Rs.1:000$000	a	quarenta e sete dollars e cincoenta centavos (47.50)
200,000	"	" " 500$000	"	quarenta e cinco dollars ($45.)
500,000	"	" " 200$000	"	vinte e cinco dollars (25.)
1,000,000	"	" " 100$000	"	vinte e um dollars ($21.)
2,000,000	"	" " 50$000	"	dezoito dollars ($18.)
5,000,000	"	" " 20$000	"	quinze dollars ($15)
10,000,000	"	" " 10$000	"	doze dollars ($12)
18,900,000	(dezoito milhões e novecentos mil notas) as quaes			

terão uma gravura de aço no anverso, cada nota tendo incluido nessa gravura o retrato especificado mais embaixo, e mais uma combinação de figuras de linhas de varias côres entrelaçadas e conhecida sob o nome de "Major Process". O verso terá uma gravura de aço abrangendo uma vista como fica explicado logo em baixo.

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As notas de Rs.1:000$ terão, no anverso, o retrato de D.Pedro I e, no verso, a gravura do quadro "Grito de Ypiranga",--

As notas de 500$ terão, no anverso, o retrato de José Bonifacio

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22 de Maio de 1923.

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e,no ~~verso~~ verso, a vista do Morro da Gloria e a entrada da Bahia da Guanabara,---

As notas de 200$ terão, no anverso, o retrato de D.Pedro II e, no verso, a vista do Pão de Assucar e parte da Cidade do Rio de Janeiro,--

As notas de 100$ terão, no anverso, o retrato do Regente Feijó e no verso uma vista do Canal do Mangue,--

As notas de 50$ terão, no anverso, o retrato de Deodoro da Fonseca, e no verso uma vista ainda não determinada,--

As notas de 20$ terão o retrato do Snr. Presidente da Republica no anverso e, no verso, "O Palacio da Liberdade" em Bello Horizonte,--

As notas de 10$ terão, no anverso, o retrato do Snr. Ministro da Fazenda, Dr. Sampaio Vidal, e, no verso, "O Monumento do Ypiranga".

A numeração será feita pelo mesmo systema seguido pelo Governo Federal,--cada denominação começando com Estampa 1a, cada cem mil constituindo uma serie. A numeração apparecerá em cada lado do anverso, sendo uma na parte superior e a outra na parte inferior da nota. Tudo isto será claramente exposto nos modelos que a Companhia está preparando e enviará o máis breve possivel para a approvação de V. E.

As notas terão as palavras "Na séde do Banco do Brasil se pagará ao portador desta, de accôrdo com a lei n.4635 A de 8 de Janeiro de 1923, a quantia de.....mil reis."

Todos estes detalhes pódem ser ajustados acuradamente quando recebermos os modelos.

Os preços serão por milheiro, moeda ouro dos Estados Unidos da America do Norte, posto a bordo do vapor em Nova York,

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correndo todas as outras despezas por conta do Banco do Brasil. A Companhia pagará em Nova York o frete e seguro maritimo, addicionando estas despezas ás respectivas contas. As notas serão acondicionadas, encaixotadas e endereçadas ao Thesouro Nacional como tem sido feito nos fornecimentos ao Governo Federal e o Banco assumirá a responsabilidade da recepção das caixas de bordo dos vapores, ou directamente, ou por intermedio, sob cuidado especial, da Guarda-Moria, e sem a intervenção de qualquer outra repartição da Alfandega. Ao passo que as remessas de notas fôrem sendo recebidas no Rio, o Banco procederá promptamente á conferencia das mesmas, fazendo logo em seguida os respectivos pagamentos em Nova York por intermedio dos seus correspondentes bancarios nessa cidade.

A Companhia, uma vez acceita a nossa offerta, apromptará o mais breve possivel a metade da encommenda, embarcando-a á medida que se fôr fazendo a impressão, e a outra metade será impressa com presteza e guardada na Casa Forte da Companhia á espera das ordens do Banco, até 31 de Dezembro de 1924. Acabado esse prazo, a American Bank Note Company terá o direito de embarcar o stock restando nessa data, salvo outra combinação entre as duas partes. E' preciso chamar attenção a uma regra invariavel da nossa Companhia, a saber,-Ella nunca entrega as chapas a ninguem. As chapas

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22 de Maio de 1923.

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são,para todos os outros effeitos,a propriedade dos nossos clientes. Si os clientes desejam inutilizar as chapas,a destruição é feita na presença de um representante delles, devidamente autorizado. Porém,esse systema tem provado inteiramente satisfactorio a todos os nossos amigos.

O telegramma da Companhia contendo esta offerta,recebido hoje,tambem diz o seguinte,--"Os modelos seguirão pelo vapor da Munson Line que sahe de Nova York em 26 do corrente, devendo chegar no Rio em 7 de Junho.A Companhia já começou o trabalho,em conformidade com o que foi entendido verbalmente com V. E. Uma vez approvados os modelos e a Companhia assim avisada por telegramma,elles trabalharão a toda a força e farão um embarque de notas de 200$ e de 1000$ dentro de dez semanas da recepção desse aviso.

Em conclusão,não posso deixar de salientar a minha sincera convicção de que,em vista da qualidade que offerecemos,a segurança contra falsificação e a bem-provada durabilidade das nossas notas,não ha outro estabelecimento no mundo que póde fazer uma offerta tão vantajosa como a nossa.

Aguardando as ordens de V. E.,subscreve-me,com toda a estima e consideração,

Crdo. Obrgdo.,

Representante da American Bank Note Company.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE BANCO DO BRASIL.
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Banco do Brasil

B.H. Rio de Janeiro, 23 de Maio de 1923.

Illmo. Snr. Representante da American Bank Note Company

Rio de Janeiro

Accusando o recebimento da carta de hontem, em que V.Sa. nos propõe o fornecimento de notas dos diversos valores descriptos, para a emissão do papel-moeda a que este Banco está autorizado, cabe-nos communicar que acceitamos a sua proposta, no que se refere a quantidade, preços e demais condições, aguardando a apresentação dos modelos das alludidas cedulas, afim de as examinar, para a necessaria approvação e definitiva ultimação do negocio.

Somos com estima,

De V.Sa.,

Atts.Ams.venrs.obrgs.

(assignado) Pelo Banco do Brasil

Corrêa de Castro Gerente
Oct. A (?) Contador.

MMMM

Banco do Brasil

Endereço Telegraphico
"Satellite" B.H.

Mod. 86

Rio de Janeiro, 23 de Maio de 1923.

Illmo. Sr. Representante da American Bank Note Company

Rio de Janeiro

Accusando o recebimento da carta de hontem, em que V.Sa. nos propõe o fornecimento de notas dos diversos valores descriptos, para a emissão do papel-moeda a que este Banco está autorizado, cabe-nos communicar que acceitamos a sua proposta, no que se refere a quantidade, preços e demais condições, aguardando a apresentação dos modelos das alludidas cedulas, afim de as examinar, para a necessaria approvação e definitiva ultimação do negocio.

Somos com estima,

De V.Sa.

atts.ams.venrs.obrs.

Pelo BANCO DO BRASIL

Gerente

Contador

Telegram received from New York May 23, 1923.

C.P.R. JUN 13 1923

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egdonazvub dujceerpok edgidmipip nutizecfex cygdierpok
edgidmyxip uvecwum azvifakzoh banknote.

May 23
Refer to your telegram of the 22
Our heartiest congratulations
To you
And
Allen
You can
Help
Us
Hasten
Work
On
10
Mil reis
20
Mil reis
By
Deciding
Now
Back
Vignette
Will ~~you~~ give preference to
These
Two denominations
Stop
Will ~~I~~
Meet
Your
Wishes
Reducing
5
00
Mil reis
To
42
Dollars
50 cents
Stop
1
000
Mil reis
To
45
Dollars
~~Per thousand~~
This reduction Leave the matter to your judgment

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
L. C. IRVINE MAI 23 19 RIO DE JANEIRO

C. P. R.
JUN 13 1923

BANKNOTE

NEW YORK

EVWILESSEC AXVEKEBDAL EBFUHEVVEC AZVIFABBAH

TRANSLATION

May 23
Refer to your telegram of 23
Photographs
Required
Sent
May 16 (Western World)
Reduction
We are holding in abeyance

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
L. C. IRVINE
MAI 23 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

C. P. R.
JUN 13 1923

BANKNOTE

NEW YORK

EVWILESJYK AXKOJAHWAS AXTIDALRYM

TRANSLATION

May 23
Refer to our telegram of 22
Have received official order
Everything is now in order
Pending
Models are approved

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
W. C. IRVINE
MAI 23 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

C. P. R.
JUN 13 1923

BANKNOTE NEW YORK

EVWEKESPYZ	AXKIREDSOX	ADCIHECWAG	AXLISAZNAG	AZDIXEHMYC
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ECPYCAXXOV	AJKERAPSUD	EGLUHAKZUG	AJGYCEDHOX	

TRANSLATION

May 22
Refer to your telegram of 21st.
Order has been awarded to us for
Verbal(ly)
But they
Think
You ought (to)
Quote
Lower price(s)
Notas de 500 mil reis
And
1
000
It is very urgent
Hurry
Notas de 10 mil reis
" " 20 " "
Because
Casa da Moeda, Rio de Janeiro
Are unable (to)
Supply
What has been promised
Caixa de Amortização
There is a chance
Notad de 1 mil reis
" " 2 " "
" " 5 " "
Send us model(s)
And
Price(s)

Same
Steamer (May 26)
If possible
Our friends
Have full confidence in
Your judgment
Feeling
Assured of fair treatment

L. C. IRVINE
MAI 22 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

C. P. R.
JUN 18 1923

BANKNOTE NEW YORK

EVVUGESHOZ EDRICABSUX AJKERAKHYZ

TRANSLATION

May 19
Refer to our telegram of the 14th
In urgent need of
Answer
Our friends
Are becoming impatient

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
L. O. IRVINE
MAI 19 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

DATE May 24, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We confirm herewith interchange of cables in connection with the above order for notes as follows:

Your cable of May 14th: ✓

"May 14th as soon as you can see J. Claudet give prices on they desire arrange the business with us at once Italian competition is very keen also our competitor in Rio de Janeiro making strong pressure safety call for action without dealy."

Your cable of May 19th: ✓

"May 19th refer to our telegram of 14th in urgent need of answer our friends are becoming impatient."

Our cable of May 21st: ✓

"May 21st Banco do Brasil taking into consideration hope to furnish bank notes during life of Banco do Brasil contract of 10 years, no charge being made for engraving. Stop. Our very lowest price based upon quantities in accordance with your letter of May 2nd are as follows: Notas de 10 Milreis - $12, Notas de 20 Milreis - $15, Notas de 50 Milreis - $18, Notas de 100 Milreis $21, Notas de 200 Milreis - $25, Notas de 500 Milreis - $45. 1000 Milreis Notes $47.50 Price per 1000 U. S. Gold, f.o.b. New York. Stop. First shipment will be made Notas de 200 Milreis and 1000 Milreis about 10 weeks after approval of models by telegraph Stop. Models will be sent May 26th Munson Line Stop. Special vignette portraits well under way we should have immediate confirmation by telegraph of Banks acceptance."

Your cable of May 22nd: ✓

"May 22nd refer to your telegram of 21st order has been awarded to us for verbally but they think you ought to quote lower prices Notas de 500 Milreis and 1000. It is very urgent hurry Notas de 10 Milreis Notas de 20 Milreis because Casa Moeda, Rio de Janeiro are unable to supply what has been promised Caixa de Amortização There is a chance Notas de 1 Milreis Notas de 2 Milreis Notas de 5 Milreis send us models and prices same steamer if possible our friends have full confidence in your judgment feel assured of fair treatment"

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE May 24, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

Our cable of May 23rd: ✓

"May 23rd refer to your telegram 22nd our heartiest congratulations to you and Allen you can help us hasten work on 10 Milreis 20 Milreis by deciding now back vignettes will give preference to these two denominations Stop. Will meet your wishes reduce 500 Milreis to $42.50 Stop. 1000 Milreis to $45 per thousand. This reduction leave the matter to your judgement."

Your cable of May 23rd: ✓

"May 23rd, refer to our telegram of 22nd have received official order everything is now in order pending models are approved."

Your cable of May 23rd: ✓

"May 23rd refer to your telegram of 23rd photographs required sent May 16th reduction we are holding in abeyance."

We also acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 2nd giving us rearrangement of vignettes etc. for the 7 denominations , also quantities for each denomination which totals 18,900,000 notes. One half of each denomination is we understand to be shipped as soon as ready, the remaining one half to be held subject to instructions from the bank up to December 31st, 1924.

Along the lines of Mr. Claudet's suggestion while in Brasil, we might mention that it would be very nice if you were able to make arrangements for payment for these notes through some New York bank where the Banco do Brasil has funds against shipping documents. You of course understand that this is only something to be attained if possible, not a stipulation. The prices which we quoted you include a 5% commission.

As to further reduction on the charge for the 500 and 1000 Milreis notes over our quotation to you of May 21st, we are willing to make a concession bringing the prices down by $2.50 for each denomination, however, leaving the matter to your judgment whether you would desire to make this reduction or to

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE May 24, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

allow the original figures as quoted to stand.

You would be interested to know that these higher denominations are sold at cost or under cost and we would not be able to maintain these prices only on the basis of an average including the smaller denominations which give us a larger printing order.

Needless to say we are more than pleased with the securing of this order and we extend our heartiest congratulations on the closing of this contract. We will endeavor to co-operate with you in every way possible in the matter of delivery so that there will be no occasion for complaint on account of delay on our part.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

DUPLICATE SENT

SHL/SD

Letter of May 22nd
received for filing 5/28

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

O. F. R.
MAY 28 1923

DATE May 24, 1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

We are sending you this day under separate cover by registered mail 7 complete sets of models, face and back, of the notes for the above. Each denomination is modeled to carry one steel printing on the face of the note, major printing on the face of the note, one steel printing on the back of the note, estampas and series appearing twice on the face of the note, numbers appearing twice on the face of the note. The paper which we are to use for these 7 denominations is our heaviest bank note stock carrying scattered planchette.

In the text which you furnished us the words "valor recebido" did not appear. Being uncertain whether or not this should be a part of the text, we have prepared our designs so that these words could be added without remodelling any of the denominations.

We have endeavored to carry out your wishes in the preparation of all of these models as far as possible. We would make however one suggestion which we believe you will adopt on examination of the models, namely, that we use the vignette of the Canal scene for the back of the 50 Milreis note and the vignette of Avenida Niemeyer for the back of the 100 Milreis note. Before receipt of your letter the 100 Milreis note had been modeled and we hesitate to change to the 50 which is a smaller note as we need the full size of the 100 note to give us the proper prospective. We are confident you will experience no difficulty in getting the substitution of these 2 vignettes.

We are more than pleased and proud of the designs which our artists have made. You will note that in these designs on the face they have incorporated a variety of steel work. We would call your special attention to the

counters and the borders which show a great deal of the white line engraving. This as you know is more difficult in reproduction than the ordinary black line. The lathe counters in the corners carrying the denominations also give you a variety of designs which is of further protection against reproduction. The Major Tint designs also carry combinations of various patterns in colors which not only make a pleasing effect but afford the greatest protection against duplication by photography. The steel and color work in conjunction with the special portrait vignettes will give the bank a very dignified as well as secure note.

In the designs of the backs you will also observe that we have incorporated a great deal of our special white line lathe and cycloid work which will show up nicely in the printing and will also afford them the necessary protection.

We hope that the vignettes for the back of the 10 and 20 Milreis notes, which you advised us in your cable you forwarded on the 16th, will be of such a size and character that we can use them with our present models, as we understand vignettes for these 2 denominations are the only ones in question, and on that basis we are proceeding with the engraving of all of the other vignettes, portraits and scenes as shown on the models.

For your files and reference we enclose herewith complete set of photographs of each model as now prepared. We anxiously await your cable advising us concerning the approval of these designs and hope you will be able

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE ~~May 24, 1923.~~

to get these approved without changes or alterations. Our Engraving Department is doing all that it can on the work pending the approval of the models. Just as soon as we have the approval we will let you know what we can do on delivery, especially of the 10 and 20 Milreis which we now understand you desire first. With special vignettes for the back of each of these denominations it may be that we will be delayed somewhat in getting our engravings, but we cannot tell about this definitely until we see the subjects.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL.

C. F. R.
MAY 28 1923

DATE May 25,1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We hope to receive from our Designing Department this afternoon the model of the 2 Milreis note. If possible to get it in time for the registered mail we will send it to you in that way,- if not we will send it by first class mail to the steamer, tomorrow morning.

The models of the other two denominations we will have ready for the next steamer, which is due to sail on June 6th.

We are sorry that we could not have the models for all three ready for you at this time.

Based on printing these three denominations - namely 1, 2 and 5 Milreis,with a steel face, a prismatic tint on face and a full Major back, using portrait vignettes on the faces of the notes and the Brazilian Coat-of-Arms, or some other device on the back; on planchette paper No.27, we have made up the following estimate:-

On an order of	20,000,000	Notes of	1 Milreis	.....$7.00	per 1000
" " "	15,000,000	" "	2 "	.....7.50	" "
" " "	10,000,000	" "	5 "	.....8.50	" "

The sizes of these denominations have been graduated down - the over all sizes being as follows:-

5 Milreis Notes - 2 23/32 x 5 1/4"
2 " " - 2 1/2 x 5 1/32"
1 " " - 2 13/32 x 4 13/16"

Terms as in the case of the other denominations - U.S.Gold, F.O.B.New York.

Yours very truly,

DUPLICATE SENT

SHL/EW

Manager Foreign Department.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R.
MAY 28 1923

DATE May 25, 1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

We are sending you under separate cover by registered mail model of the 2 Milreis note, face and back, the face carrying 1 steel printing with the portrait vignette of Marquez de Olinda and a colored prismatic tint, the back carrying a Major Tint and the coat-of-arms of Brasil in colors.

We purpose showing this coat-of-arms on these 3 denominations as it is impossible to show vignette work in this process printing. If the coat-of-arms is not desired for these 3 denominations, it would be necessary for us to substitute some of our lathe pattern work. We are certain however that when the models are presented, our treatments of the backs will meet with the approval of the bank officials. We have given you prices on this denomination of notes in a separate letter.

For the face of the 1 Milreis notes we are using the portrait vignette of Dr. A. Penna, for the 5 Milreis note, Rio Branco.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT PHOTOGRAPHS. (FOR BANCO DO BRASIL NOTES.)

O. P. R. JUN 14 1923

S/S "SOUTHERN CROSS". (SEPARATE COVER)

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE May 29,1923.

In my letter I mentioned sending by separate cover the duplicate photos of the backs of the 10's & 20's and here they are. One is the Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte and the other is the Monumento do Ypiranga in São Paulo, the former going with the 20's and the latter with the 10's.

I also hand you a photo which we have had to work hard to obtain from the painting in the President's Palace, the reading of the Constitution. The chief figure is that of Deodoro da Fonseca--the one reading from the book. There are many prominent Brazilian politicians in the picture and it will be important to give them a good engraving. Dr. Cincinato is much interested in having this appear on the 100 mil reis note--the one which has the vignette of Deodoro on the face.

Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 12 1923

Photo put in file with other photos CR 6/14

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

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Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 12 1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

JUN 12 1923

C. P. R.
MAY 31 1923

May 29, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell:
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7317

I am enclosing 2 photographs of special vignette "Monumento do Ypiranga" which is to appear on the back of the 10 Milreis note.

This wording as given above is to appear under the vignette.

Kindly give us photograph reductions cut to a size for the model as made.

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

Order Entered
By SHL
No. 7317
Date 5/31

O. P. R.
JUN 1 1923

May 29, 1923.

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7317

Kindly note on order that the special vignette to appear on the back of the 10 Milreis denomination is to be the "Monumento do Ypiranga".

SHL

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

RECEIVED
MAY 29 1923
J. B. P.

O. P. R.
MAY 31 1923

May 29, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7318

I am enclosing photograph of special vignette "Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte" which is to appear on the back of the 20 Milreis note. This wording as given above is to appear under the vignette.

Kindly give us photograph reductions cut to a size for the model as made.

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

Order Entered
By OHC
No. 7318
Date 5/31/23

O. P. R.
JUN 1 1923

May 29, 1923.

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7318

Kindly note on order that the special vignette to appear on the back of the 20 Milreis denomination is to be the "Palacio da Liberdade em bello Horizonte."

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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RECEIVED
MAY 29 1923
J. B. P.

May 29, 1923

BANKNOTE (L. C. Irvine)

Rio Brasil.

O.P.R.
JUN 1 1923

EVXITesbok	May 29th Refer to your letter of 15th
EJDIZazsax	Banco do Brasil strongly recommend
EGKIPalkyk	you make
AJLEJadkiz	no further changes
EFDAKacjab	vignette backs
EHMICehmoc	Notas de 50 Milreis, Notas de 100 Milreis
EDPAJabziw	until arrival
ALRUKenpab	models A.B.N.Co.

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Form 101

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R. P. R.
JUN 1 1923

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

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May 29, 1923.

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RIO (BRASIL)

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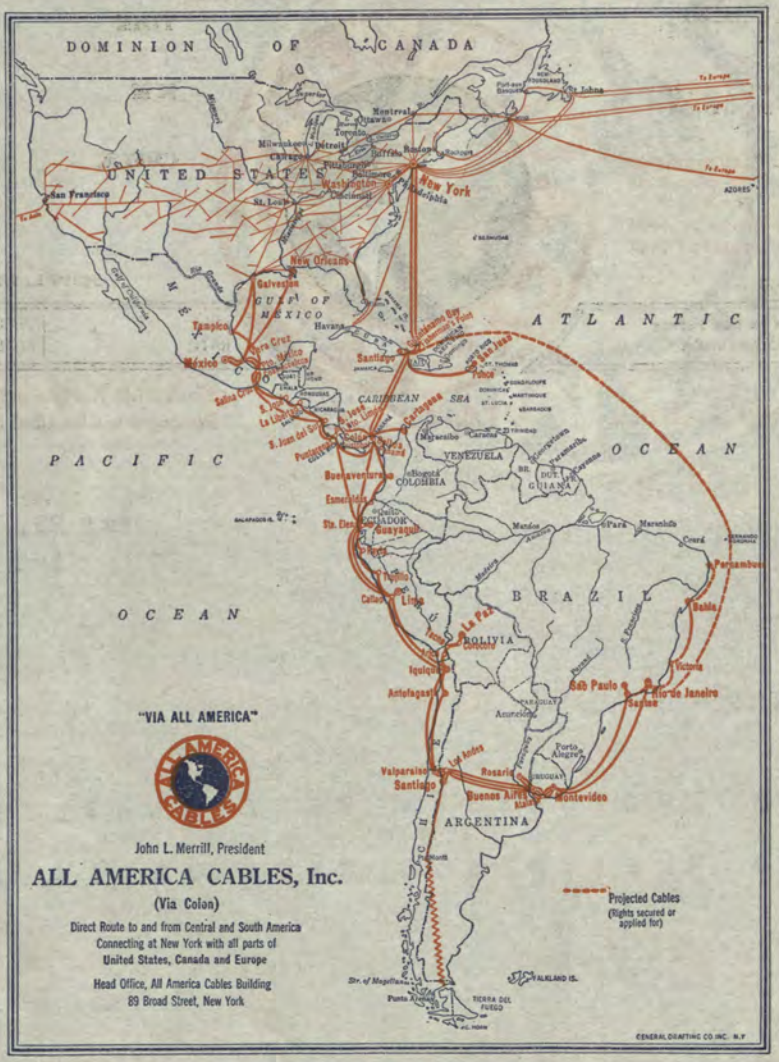

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ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
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John L. Merrill, President

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
AVENIDA RIO BRANCO, 109
Telephone 2156 Norte
CAIXA POSTAL 863
RIO DE JANEIRO

C. P. R.
JUN 19 1923

May 30 / 1923.

In my letter of yesterday enclosing the back for the 50 mil reis note I said by mistake 100 mil reis note.

Yrs. truly

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE May 31, 1923

O. P. R.
JUN 1 1923

We further acknowledge receipt of your two letters dated May 14th under the above heading, one bearing on the General Meeting and financial arrangements of the Bank, the other on the form of note and the position in which your competitors are endeavoring to place you and the Bank concerning this order.

In this letter you further mention that the Bank will require but one space for signatures; our models have been made up providing two spaces. In looking over the photographs of the models, it seems to us that they should have no difficulty in using these notes as modeled, even though with but one signature, especially if they are to sign across the face of the note. We hope so at least.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

New York to Rio de Janeiro

C. P. R. JUN 1 1923

DATE May 31, 1923.

Your letter of May 14th enclosing two photographs of the "Monumento do Ypiranga" which has been selected for the back of the 10 Milreis note and your letter of May 15th with photograph of the "Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte" which has been selected for the back of the 20 Milreis note have been duly received, and we are substituting these vignettes on these two denominations proceeding at once with the vignette engraving.

In your letter of the 15th you mention that there is a possibility of another vignette being selected for the back of the 50. We are so impressed with the effect produced by our artists by the use of the canal scene for the 50 and the Avenida Niemeyer for the 100 that we thought best to cable you suggesting that nothing further be done about change of vignettes for these two denominations until receipt of models.

We confirm our cable as follows:

> "May 29th refer to your letter of 15th Banco do Brasil strongly recommend you make no further changes vignette backs Notas de 50 Milreis, Notas de 100 Milreis until arrival models."

We hope that these models will be accepted and approved as presented and in so doing considerable time will be saved.

For your files we enclose herewith photograph reproduction of the 2 Milreis note, face and back, model of which was sent you by last steamer.

Yours very truly,

DUPLICATE SENT

SHL/SD

Manager Foreign Department

Paris, Rec'd June 4,1923.

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EWDOCalfog June 4th
letter

EJDIZevwom Banco do Brazil
May 24th

BANCO HYPOTHECARIO NACIONAL

EVWUNahvam May 25th
owing to an error

ABGAKerker addressed
Paris

EBPAFcvif Shall I send
them (?)

EDGIDepxib to
L.C.Irvine

AXJYPacjab or
back

EDGAHepxud to you

Gaston Stalins

OTHER COPY IN PACKET 787-1138

(IW)

New York, - June 5, 1923

extract from J.C.personal letter to Mr. Irvine (filed in #314)

"As advised you officially in our former correspondence, all the models have gone forward and by this steamer you will receive the models of the 5 and 2 milreis, - the 1 milreis having gone forward previously, and I think you will agree with me that all these models are very handsome and can be furnished rather cheaply. I hope that Mr. Allen will be highly pleased with them as also the President of the Bank, and that an order may result from same.

You may think there has been a little delay in furnishing you with the prices of the higher values, but as we wanted to give you a satisfactory figure and ascertain the deliveries, it took a little longer than I expected; now that everything is closed I want to offer you and Mr. Allen our congratulations upon your success. Let us hope you will meet with the same success in the case of the order for the small denominations. Remember, however, that on the back of these notes no vignette can appear and give satisfactory results. We must therefore insist on a back as we have proposed it, which can only be a Coat-of-Arms or else a Monogram, or whatever the bank might desire, but no vignette"

COPY

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C.P.R. JUN 6 1923

DATE June 5, 1923.

We are sending you this day under separate cover by registered mail complete model of the 1 Milreis note, face and back, and of the 5 Milreis note, face and back.

Each of these denominations is designed for a steel face, prismatic tint on face, full major back, the 1 Milreis note being of a size smaller than the 2 Milreis, model of which was sent you by previous mail, and the 5 Milreis of a size between the 2 and the 10.

On the back of these two notes appears the Brasilian coat-of-arms which,as you will observe, lends itself very nicely to treatment in the major tint process. As previously advised we cannot reproduce in this major tint work any portrait vignettes or pictorial scenes. We would call to your attention the fact that our artist has left the work Brasil used in connection with the coat-of-arms with the letter z instead of s. Please advise if it is all right for us to change this spelling to the newly adopted lettering.

We are enclosing herewith the photograph reproductions of the 10 and 20 Milreis showing the reduction of the vignette in accordance with photos which you recently sent us. These vignettes we have now put in the hands of our engravers and if on receipt of these reductions there are any changes, please also advise us by cable.

In the vignette on the 20 Milreis note an automobile appears in the foreground in front of the building. It is our intention to leave this

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out. Iffor any reason it is your desire to have it remain in the picture please advise us.

Yours very truly,

SHL/SD

Manager Foreign Department

DUPLICATE SENT

Rio, Rec'd June 9, 1923.

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JUN 9 1923
C.P.R.
JUN 20 1923

Banknote

New York.

EWFIJalrot — June 9th models received

PANAMERICA

ABJOCeblen — as advised very satisfactory

ABWUKakkup — will be approved in the

main

ECNOW — will telegraph as soon as

ALBAJstop — as soon as we know positively Stop.

EHMIBehmob — Notas de 1 Milreis Notas de 2 Milreis

EHMUBazjut — Notas de 5 Milreis there is evey prospect of

ACZEWesdex — business refer to your letter of 25th

AZDYSahleg — does this price include commission what will be the very earliest

AGRILazkil — promise (d) delivery provide (d) (ing)

EDRILold — they will use old

EFKYGagrol — vignette, portrait prompt delivery

ACMAMajdit — will be very important factor.

L.C.Irvine (SD)

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VIA ALL AMERICA

UNITED STATES and SOUTH AMERICA DIRECT

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

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VIA COLON

DEL 006 JUN-9

Date.....

1JB RIX508

RIOJANEIRO 16 855AM 9TH.

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MAINECNOW ALBAJSTOP EHMIBEHMOB EHMUBAZJUT ACZEWESDEX
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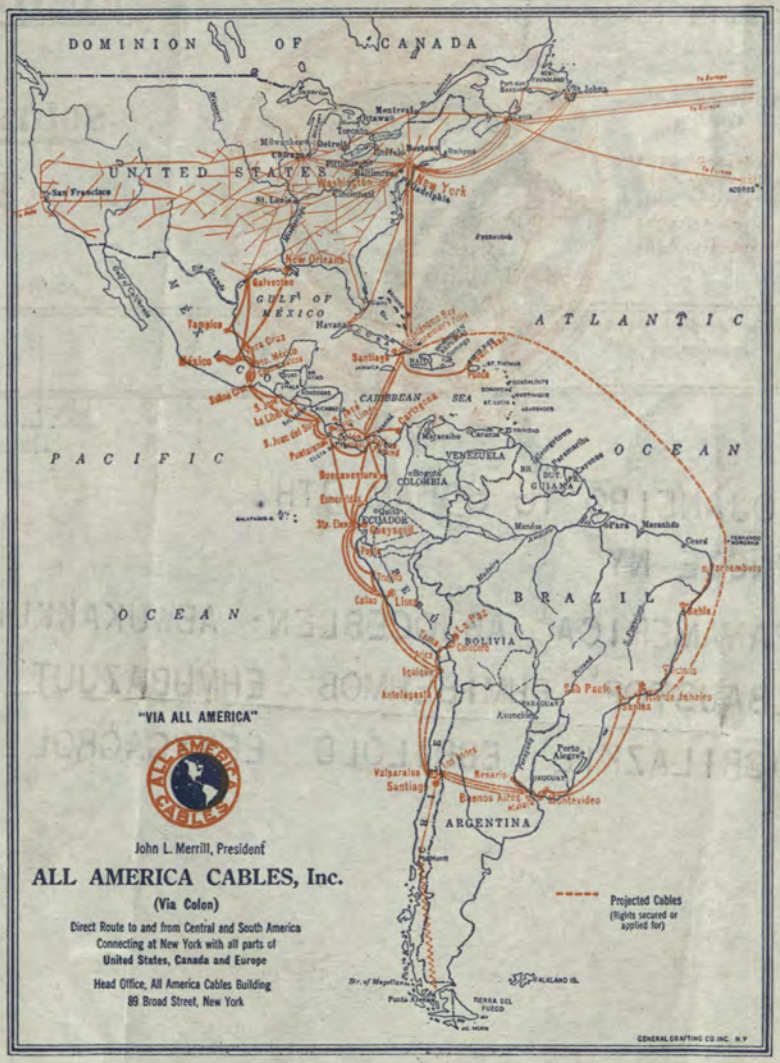

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Rio, Rec'd, June 9, 1923.

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JUN 9 1923

Banknote

New York

O. P. R.
JUN 20 1923

EWFIJecmiv	June 9th after sending telegram
ALRUMahxel	models ~~are~~ approved without change except
BACKsehmyb	backs notas de 10 Milreis
EHMACedref	notas de 20 Milreis use
EFKICtens	vignette on back tens
AXGUVtwenty	on the twenty
AXGUVtens	on the tens
EDREF	use

10$ 7317
20 7318
50 7336
100 7337
200 7338
500 7339
1000 7319.

OK on new model

MONUMENTO YPIRANGA

AJTUFacsik	make all possible haste caanot you do better
ONagril	on promise (d) delivery
ABXOR ?	
ABXASabton	(they are not the) they are ? quite anxious about
ACPYMahnuc	beginning with emission

HBT is working up Eng Line

Munson Line. Slamers probable sailing. N.Y.
Aug 4.
" 18.

May 21. Telegram
Promise 200 - 1000 $
about 10 each appl models
Rio. May 21
Request 10, 20 & first.

L.C.Irvine (SD)

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Date [illegible] JUN [illegible]

DEL

1JGB RIX518

RIOJANEIRO 17/16 946AM 9TH.

BANKNOTE NY

EWFIJECMIV ALRUMAHXEL BACKSEHMYB EHMACEDREF EFKICTENS
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June 11, 1923.

Mr. Paris, Superintendent:

C. P. R.
JUN 13 1923

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7317,7318,7319,7336,7337,7338,7339.

In a few days you will be receiving printing orders on the above denominations. Prompt deliveries are most important.

The 10 and 20 Milreis, F-7317-18, are wanted first. We would want to follow with the other denominations without any interruption. Just at this moment we do not know the order of the other denominations but will let you know just as soon as we find out.

According to present schedule there is a steamer for Rio which probably will load on the 3rd of August. We would like to make shipment of some of the 10 and 20 Milreis at that time. Please advise us if this is possible.

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept/

SHL/SD

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PACKET 26

O. P. R.
JUN 13 1923

June 11, 1923.

Mr. Claxton Cary 3rd:

BANCO DO BRASIL

Confirming conversation of this morning we would like to get approximate promise on delivery on the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis notes for the above bank.

Models have already been prepared for these 3 denominations. On the basis of 20,000,000 - 1 Milreis, 15,000,000 - 2 Milreis, 10,000,000 - 5 Milreis with a steel face, prismatic tint, major back, printed on J.M. planchetted paper 27. Will you please let us know your best time to begin deliveries.

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

FROM
RIO DE JANEIRO
TO
NEW YORK

CASA DA MOEDA.

June 11,1923.

We have carried the business with the Bank against the Casa da Moeda,but they are not throwing up the sponge,by any means. They are getting more machinery to be able to do better work along all lines,stamps,notes and coins. But the Bank has no notion of doing any business with them at this time. I do not know what changes may come over them--if the Bank comes under new Directors,we may be shuffled out--it is an endless fight. Our only policy is to give them the best we can and quality will tell in the long run. Everything is very satisfactory now and we will make all the hay we can while the sun shines.

Yours very truly,

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 575

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL. S/S "AMERICAN LEGION"

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 11, 1923.

I have your favours of May 24 & 25 (2) under this heading.
I cabled you twice, on the 9th, inst. and hand you copies of the telegrams.

MODELS. By this conveyance, through the Expresso Federal, who are the correspondents of the American Express Company, I am sending you back the models for the notes of 1000$, 500$, 200$, 100$, 50$, 20$ & 10$--faces and backs, all approved and properly signed by the President, C.Braga. On the back of the 20$ note he wrote (I translate) "Approved, provided the Palacio de Liberdade, de Bello Horizonte is placed here."
On the back of the 10$ note he wrote "Approved, provided the painting o Grito de Ypiranga, I say the Monumento do Ypiranga, is placed here. He was writing the name of the vignette which is for the 1000$ note, and corrected himself, as shown.
Nothing has been said about proofs on either side and certainly there is not time for this in view of the hurry they are now manifesting.

I am returning these models by express because it is very uncertain about catching the steamer if they are sent by Registered Post. It is also somewhat risky to send by first-class mail and I think the best arrangement, where so many models are involved, is as I have done.

The photo I sent by last mail, "The reading of the Constitution" will not be needed now but it may come in handy some time in the future. They have said nothing more about placing the names of the vignettes on the backs and you need not do this,--the names, as you have done, on the face vignettes is all right, as they made a question of that.

Everything has now been put down in black and white with the Bank and I hand you copy and translation of my letter of the 9th. inst.

They are now all excitement to get the notes and emit them, so, in my telegram, I put it up to you to do something better than was promised, if possible. If our notes are not here pretty soon they will have to make use of some of the Casa da Moeda notes and they evince much dislike for that course. It is easy to understand why--we know a good deal about what has been going on in the Casa da Moeda, but they probably know a good deal more than we do. So it will be for the good of the Bank and ourselves, as well, if we can help them in this. I await your answer with great interest.

They greatly liked the 2$ model and consider prices reasonable. When we get the other (1$ & 5$) models we can get to work. From all we can gather, the prospect is very good, indeed. These models should arrive on the 21st. inst.

It will not be necessary to get Government permission to use the models which have been used by them.

The payment which you suggest in your letter of May 24 had already been arranged as you will have seen from the previous correspondence.

A concern "Quayle" in Albany, New York seems to have addressed the Bank as to doing something on this work--I do not know who they are. Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL (MODELS) S/S "AMERICAN LEGION"

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 12,1923.

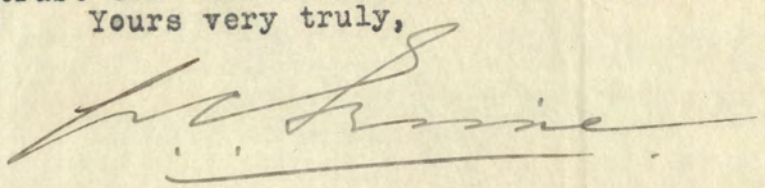
FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

E

I find that I have to make a slight correction in my letter of yesterday about sending the models. They go under the receipt of the Munson Line and I enclose the same.

They promised to send by this boat with their parcels without fail and I trust that the models will reach you safely and promptly.

Yours very truly,



C. F. R.
JUN 18 1923

June 12, 1923.

Mr. Faris, Superintendent:

BANCO DO BRASIL

Supplementing my memo of yesterday, please do not lose sight of the fact that the 200 and 1000 Milreis notes have already been promised as the first denominations for delivery. It is however desirable to work the 10 and 20 Milreis along at the same time if possible to do so.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 26

D 5225

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C.P.R. JUN 18 1923

Date June 12, 1923.

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. F7337
Date 6/14/23

100 Milreis Note - F-7337

PRINT

1,000,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 411
steel back in Green 1

on face
Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 10A - Series change with each 100,000 notes
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series
Cut single, band in lots of 500 notes.

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - For details see Order No. F-7317.

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $21. per thousand U.S.G.f.o.b.N.Y.
$21,000.

Terms 5% com. to Barton Allen
Caixa 44
Rio

Shipping Instructions:— 500,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

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Billing Instructions For marking of cases see Order No. F-7317.

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MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

J.S.P.

D 5225

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C. P. R. JUN 18 1923

Date June 12, 1923.

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. 7339
Date 6/14/23

500 Milreis Note - F-7339

Print

200,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 413
steel back in Red P-16

on face
Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 2A - Series change with each 100,000 notes
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series.
Cut single; band in lots of 500 notes

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - For details see Order No. F-7317.

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $45. per thousand U.S.G.f.o.b. N.Y.
$9000.
Terms 5% com. to Allen Barton
Caixa 44,
Rio.

Shipping Instructions:— 100,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

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ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

O. P. R. JUN 18 1923

Date June 12, 1923.

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. F-7336
Date 6/14/23

50 MILREIS NOTE - F-7336

Print

2,000,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 410
steel back in Brown 13

On face
Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 20A - Series change with each 100,000 notes
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series
Cut single, band in lots of 500 notes

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - For details see Order No. F-7317.

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $18 per thousand U.S.G.f.o.b. N.Y.
$36,000.
Terms 5% com. to Barton Allen,
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro

Shipping Instructions:— 1,000,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

Billing Instructions For marking of cases see Order No. F-7317.

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

Date June 12, 1923.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C. P. R. JUN 18 1923

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By OKH.
No. F7319
Date 6/14/23

1000 Milreis Note - F-7319

Print

200,000 notes

steel face in black
major tint No. 414.
steel back in Purple P-3.

on face { Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 2A - Series change with each 100,000 notes.
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series.
Cut single, bank in lots of 500 notes.

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - For details see Order No. F-7317

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $47.50 per thousand U. S. Gold
$9,500. f.o.b. N. Y.

Terms 5% com. to Barton Allen
Caixa 44
Rio

Shipping Instructions:— 100,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

Date June 12, 1923.

ORDER DEPARTMENT
AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C.P.R. JUN 18 1923

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. F-7318
Date 6/14/23

20 Milreis Note - F-7318

Print

5,000,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 409
steel back in Blue 9

on face
Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 50A - Series change with each 100,000 notes
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,00 each series
Cut single band in lots of 500 notes

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - see order for 10 Milreis note - F-7317 for details.

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $15. per thousand U.S.G.f.o.b. N.Y.
$75,000.
Terms 5% com. to Barton Allen,
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro.

Shipping Instructions:— 2,500,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

For marking of cases see: order No. F-7317

JUN 13 '23

Billing Instructions

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J. B. P.

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

Date June 12, 1923.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C.P.R. JUN 18 1923

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. F7338
Date 6/14/23

200 Milreis Note - F-7338.

Print

500,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 412
steel back in Olive 55 3/4

on face
Red type Estampa 1A
Red type series 1A to 5A - series change with each 100,000 notes
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series
Cut single, band in lots of 500 notes

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery - For details see order No. F-7317

Authority for Order

Delivery Dates

Price $25. per thousand U.S.G.f.o.b.N.Y.
$12,500.
Terms 5% com. to Barton Allen,
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro

Shipping Instructions:— 250,000 notes one one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

For marking of cases see Order No. F-7317.

Billing Instructions

JUN 13 23

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MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C. P. R. JUN 18 1923

Date June 12, 1923.

Please furnish BANCO DO BRASIL,

Rio de Janeiro, Brasil

Order Entered
By
No. 7317
Date 6/14/23

10 Milreis Note - F-7317.

Print

10,000,000 notes
steel face in black
major tint No. 420
steel back in brown P-20.

on face
Red type Estampa 1A.
Red type series 1A to 100A - Series change with each 100,000 notes.
Double numbers in red 1 to 100,000 each series.
Cut singleband in lots of 500 notes.

Furnish 75 cancelled specimens with first delivery:
Specimens to be prepared same as on previous order- see Rep. of Brazil F-5846.
Namely: specimens to be cancelled by punching a small hole through the denomination as it appears on the face and two small holes in the panel at the bottom of the note - a small hole through the number wherever it appears.
Type in red or blue, according to the color of the note the word "Modelo" on both the face and back in such a way that it can be easily distinguished and at the same time not disfigure the note too much.

Authority for Order Letter L.C. Irvine May 22 1923
" Pres. Bank " 24 1923.

Price $12. per thousand U.S.Gold f.o.b.N.Y.

Terms $120,000. 5% com. to Barton Allen; Caixa 44, Rio de Janeiro.

Delivery Dates 5,000,000 notes or one-half the order to be shipped as soon as ready. Balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions, but to be taken on or before December 31, 1924.

Shipping Instructions:— Mark cases: Thesouro Federal ao Ministerio da Fazenda, Rio de Janeiro.
Show gross weight of case in kilos on outside of each case.
Advise by cable L.C.Irvine as shipment is made giving name of steamer, date of sailing, and number of cases ~~of each denomination~~ shipped.

Billing Instructions

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JUN 13 1923

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

J. B. P.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

C.P.R.
JUN 29 1923

ack 6/28/23

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE June 13,1923.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

I enclose you a letter from the Bank of Brasil, dated June 12, in answer to mine of the 9th., and I translate as follows,---

" We acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th. of
" this month and we take due note of the contents of the
" same, it behooving us to declare that we are agreed with
" what you communicate in regard to the notes ordered by
" this Bank from the American Bank Note Company.

Etc. etc.,

signed by the Manager and the Accountant of the Bank

Yours very truly,

F. C. Rime

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 26 1923

Banco do Brasil

Endereço Telegraphico
"Satellite"

Mod. 86

C. P. R.
JUN 29 1923

A/T/C

Rio de Janeiro, 12 de Junho de 1923.

Illmo. Snr. Lilbourn Cave Irvine
D. Representante da American Bank Note Company - Nesta.

Accusamos o recebimento de sua carta de 9 deste mez, de cujo conteudo tomámos devida nota, cumprindo-nos declarar que estamos de accordo com o que V. S. nos communica, relativamente ás notas encommendadas por este Banco á American Bank Note Company.

Com toda a estima e apreço, somos,

De V. S.

Ams. Atts. e Obs.

Pelo BANCO DO BRASIL

Gerente

Contador

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 26 1923

L. C. IRVINE
JUN 13 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT TRANSLATION OF LETTER TO DR CINCINATO BRAGA

O. P. JUN 29 1923

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE JUNE 9, 1923.

I have in hand (approved by Your Excellency) the models of the notes ordered from the American Bank Note Company to which my letter of May 22, last, refers.

The approval of the models signifies the following modifications in the description contained in that letter, to wit; The vignettes of the back of the note of 100$ will now be the "Avenida Niemeyer" and the vignette of the back of the note of 50$ will be the view of the "Canal do Mangue".

The backs of the models of the notes of 20$ and of 10$ not being in accord with what had been agreed, it is now understood that the models will be corrected to correspond with the terms of my letter of May 22;--that is, the vignettes will be, respectively, "Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte" e "Monumento do Ypiranga, São Paulo".

I believe that everything is now in order.

To-day I advised the Company by telegram of the acceptance of the models and asked them to use all haste in finishing the work and I know that they will do more than they promised if it is possible.

I take advantage of the opportunity to express to Y.E. the great satisfaction we feel in beginning these relations with the Bank of Brasil, so worthily presided over by Your Excellency.

We will do all in our power to conduct these transactions to the entire satisfaction of Your Excellency and of the Directors of the Bank. Etc., etc.

Signed L.C. Irvine,
Representative.

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUN 25 1923

REPRESENTANTE
LILBOURN CAVE IRVINE

FOREIGN DEPT.
O. P.
JUN 29 1923
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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

~~RUA PRIMEIRO DE MARÇO, 155/00~~

RIO DE JANEIRO.
9 de Junho de 1923.

Exmo. Snr.

Dr. Cincinato Braga,

M. D. Presidente do Banco do Brasil,---

Tenho em mão os modelos (approvados por V. E.) das notas encommendadas á American Bank Note Company a que se refere a minha carta de 22 de Maio, p.p. A approvação dos modelos significa as seguintes modificações na descripção contida na sobre-dita carta, a saber,-- A vinheta do verso da nota de 100$ agora será a Avenida Niemeyer e a vinheta do verso da nota de 50$ será a vista do Canal do Mangue.

Os versos dos modelos das notas de 20$ e de 10$ não estando de accôrdo com o que tinha sido assentado, fica entendido agora que os modelos serão corrigidos para corresponder com os termos da minha carta de 22 de Maio, isto é,--As vinhetas serão, respectivamente, Palacio da Liberdade em Bello Horizonte e Monumento do Ypiranga, São Paulo.

Creio que tudo agora está em ordem.

Hoje avisei á Companhia, por telegramma, da acceitação dos modelos e pedi toda a urgencia em acabar a obra e sei que elles farão mais do que prometteram si possivel fôr.

Aproveito o ensejo para expressar a V. E. a grande satisfacção que sentimos em encetar estas relações com o Banco do Brasil,

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tão dignamente presidido por V. E. Faremos o possivel ao nosso alcance a conduzir estas transacções á inteira satisfacção de V. E. e dos Directores do Banco.

Com toda a estima e consideração,

Crdo. Obrgdo.,

Representante da

American Bank Note Company.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

O. F. R. JUN 14 1923

DATE June 13, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We have for acknowledgement your letters of May 24th and May 29th, the former enclosing copy of your letter of May 22nd, 1923, covering your proposal for an issue of 18,900,000 notes, also original letter from the bank accepting your offer. We are glad to have these papers as a part of our files.

From correspondence to date we understand that there are 4 denominations of notes which are wanted among the first, namely, the 200, the 1000, the 10 and the 20 Milreis. We are pushing with the work especially on these 4 denominations and we will advise you later concerning dates of deliveries, letting you know which denomination or denominations we will ship first. This will depend upon the way the work is coming through in our Engraving and Printing Departments. In any event, we appreciate the importance of early deliveries and are doing everything possible to bring this about.

We are arranging to supply 75 specimen notes cancelling them in the same manner as we did on the previous issue.

In your letter of the 24th, also yours of the 29th, reference is made to the special vignette for the back of the 100 Milreis note. This photograph arrived with your letter of the 29th, but as we understand from your cable of the 8th, the models of all denominations as submitted have been approved with the exception of the vignette for the back of the 10 and 20, which change has already been made, and therefore the painting from the president's palace showing the reading of the constitution will not

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE June 13, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

be used on any notes of this issue. We are very glad of this as it would be very difficult to reproduce this on a note and give the effect desired. It would also take considerable time to make this engraving.

The duplicate photos of the vignettes for the backs of the 10 and 20 Milreis notes were also received. We are glad to have these extra copies.

We understand from your letter that we are to approve all proofs here. For the colors of the backs we have selected the same ones as shown on the models with the exception of the 50 Milreis note. This brown we thought possibly too near in shade to the olive which we were using on the 200 Milreis and we have therefore changed this color for the 50 to a brown No. 13. If upon receipt of this letter you find that the colors which we have selected are not all right please advise us by cable.

In due time we shall expect to receive through you the return of the models bearing an official approval.

Acknowledgement of your cables with information concerning deliveries etc. will be confirmed in another letter.

Yours very truly,

DUPLICATE SENT

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

O.P.R.
JUN 14 1923

June 13, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL

We are sending you herewith another print showing the vignette to be reproduced for the back of the Brasil 10 Milreis note, F-7317, also duplicate print of the vignette to be used on the back of the Brasil 20 Milreis note F-7318.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 17

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

CUST. NO. _____ SHIPPING ORDER ORDER NO. P 7269

TITLE Banco Do Brasil INVOICE NO. _____

SHIP TO American Bank Note Co.

70 Broad Street N.Y.C.
c/o Foreign Dept.

C. P. R. JUN 17 1924

VIA _____ COLLECT PREPAID _____

QUANTITY ORDERED	QUANTITY SHIPPED	DATE	DESCRIPTION
	9	6/14/23	Notes 5 Milreis Serie 29A Nos. 037890 to 037898 (In Place of Cremated Notes)

PARTIAL SHIPMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

File

C. P. R.
JUN 25 1923

June 14,1923.

Memorandum for Mr. Claudet:-

BANCO DO BRASIL

If things are slow to-morrow and you feel like stirring up a little trouble I suggest you look over the promises given for the Banco do Brasil notes:-

200	Milreis -	August 3rd; probably half of the order
1000	"	August 3rd; probably half of the order
10	"	Begin September 15th; complete October 20th.
20	"	Begin September 15th; complete October 15th.
50	"	Begin October 8th; complete October 23rd.
100	"	Begin November 1st;
500	"	Begin November 14th;

A promise for the smaller denominations, based on receiving the order within the next two weeks is:-

1 Milreis - begin September 20th; complete November 12th.
2 Milreis - begin October 10th; complete November 13th.
5 Milreis - begin October 18th; complete November 19th.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO HYPOTHECARIO NACIONAL
BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE June 15, 1923.

O. F. R.
JUN 18 1923

We enclose two letters written you on May 24th and 25th respectively under the above heading which were sent to Paris by mistake which explains the discrepancy in date which we regret.

Yours very truly,

Vice President

HJB/SD

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 787

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

O. P. R.
JUN 20 1923

AS31357

June 18,1923

Order Entered
By [signature]
No. F7338
Date 6/19/23

ORDER DEPARTMENT:-

BANCO DO BRASIL

Please change the lay on orders F7338 - 200 Milreis notes to 15 on instead of 18 on as it now reads.

[signature]

Manager Foreign Department.

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RECEIVED
JUN 18 1923
J. B. P.

June 19,1923.

BANKNOTE(L.C.Irvine)

RIO(Brazil)

O. P. R. JUN 20 1923

Esmyjdad	Refer to your telegram of 9th 2
EJDIZehmib	Banco do Brasil Notas de 1 Milreis
EHMOBehmub	Notas de 2 Milreis Notas de 5 Milreis
AFJUZazfab	commission included our price.
ECFEX agrih	Stop. Delivery to commence.....weeks after approval of models
FUXedgid	10 to
GAGafmap	12, expect to complete
AGRAV fed	all denominations 8
EFREHecvux	weeks thereafter
ECFEXehmuc	Stop. Notas de 200 Milreis
ABRIJcygdi	and 1000
AJHYG aljar	First lot
EBTOWexcah	ready for shipment August 3rd
ECFEX ehmyb	Stop. Notas de 10 Milreis
EHMACacpen	Notas de 20 Milreis expect to begin about
EXPINafmap	September 15th expect to complete
ABBOX ezcuf	about October 15th.
ECFEX agriw	Stop. Other denominations

ECNIWalcal	Will telegraph later
AGNUPebsun	definite shipping
agjipECFEX	date. Stop.
afmutalnog	completion means
ajsap axjaw	half the order

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C. F. R.
JUN 20 1923

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

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Mark with X class of Service desired.
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BANKNOTE
RIO(Brazil)

June 19,1923

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ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
John L. [illegible], President

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R.
JUN 20 1923

DATE June 19,1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

Answering your two cables of June 9th, which we decoded to read:-

"June 9th, models received Pan America as advised. Very satisfactory, will be approved in the main. Will telegraph as soon as we know positively.Stop. Notas de 1 Milreis, notas de 2 Milreis, notas de 5 Milreis, there is every prospect of business.Refer to your letter of 25th, does this price include commission. What will be the very earliest promise delivery providing they will use old vignette,portrait. prompt delivery will be very important factor."

"June 9th, after sending telegram models approved without change except backs notas de 10 Milreis, notas de 20 Milreis, use vignette on back tens on the twenty, on the tens use Monumento Ypiranga. Make all possible haste. Cannot you do better on promise delivery. They are quite anxious about beginning with emissi on."

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we have said:- (in our cable of this date - but which date we omitted to show at the beginning of our message):-

"Refer to your telegram of 9th, two, Banco do Brasil,notas de 1 Milreis, notas de 2 Milreis, notas de 5 Milreis, commission included our price. Stop. Delivery to commence 10 to 12 weeks after approval of models. Expect to co mplete all denominations 8 weeks thereafter. Stop. Notas de 200 Milreis and 1000 first lot ready for shipment August 3rd. Stop. Notas de 10 Milreis notas de 20 Milreis,expect to begin about September 15th, expect to complete about Oct. 15th, Stop. Other denominations will telegraph later defi nite shipping date. Stop. Completion means half the order."

Needless to say we are rushing the work on all denominations just as fast and as hard as it is possible, for you surely appreciate how anxious we are to please the bank - not only on quality of work but in deliveries as well. However, we must point out to you that the engraving of each one of these special vignettes must consume six weeks of one man's entire time, and with so many to engrave you can readily figure out that no a minute's time is being lost.

Do not forget, in explaining to your customer - should he complain of the long time to make deliveries, that about six weeks has been spent on engraving all the special vignettes; we are only then ready to engrave the balance of the work and make our dies; after that - as you know, there is the time for taking up the roll and laying down the plates,- all of which - in the ordinary course of events, takes about 12 weeks. This naturally only brings our work up to the point of going to press. By looking over the promises we have given you, you will see that we have come well within this time.

However, knowing the importance for quick deliveries we shall leave nothing undone that will hurry the work in every way and it may be that we shall be able to do better than promised.

The prices quoted you for the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis notes include a 5% commission. The prbmises for delivery of these denominations we have made as short as we thought we dared to, in view of all the

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE

New York to Rio de Janeiro

other denominations now in the house that we are trying so hard to rush,- but again, it may be possible for us to do better.

We have shown our earnest desire to do better in the promise we made you for the 200 and 1000 Milreis notes. From the time we received the order to go ahead - to August 3rd, is just one day short of 8 weeks. It is just possible we shall be able to do as much better on some of the other denominations.

We shall try to give you a definite shipping date for the 50's 100's and 500's later.

We pointed out in our cable that where we gave a date of a promise to deliver "complete" - it meant half of the order, since - according to our understanding, this is all the notes they want in their first shipment.

We trust we have made this matter entirely clear to you and that your customer will understand and be pleased with what we are trying to do.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

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DUPLICATE SENT

6/20/23

Rio, Rec'd June 19th, 1923.

FOREIGN DEPT.

C. P. R.
JUN 21 1923

JUN 19 1923

A.B.N.Co.,
New York

	EWHAWabwaj	June 19th approve (d)
~~xLRUTepxxe~~	ALRUCepzac	models returned to you American Line
	ECFOFebjxys	per steamer sailed on
	EWGANesgus	June 13th refer to our telegram of 9th
	EBCYBepxib	no reply received as yet

L. C. Irvine

(SD)

Form 1287

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM

TIME OF RECEIPT SHOWN ON THIS MESSAGE IS EASTERN STANDARD TIME

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, (CENTRAL CABLE OFFICE,) NEW YORK, N. Y. ALWAYS OPEN

C. P. R. FOREIGN DEPT. JUN 21 1923

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BANKNOTE American Bank Note Co
70-72 Broad St.
NYK

JUN 19 1923

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY 70-72 BROAD ST. N.Y.
RECEIVED
JUN 19 1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R. JUN 21 1923

DATE June 20,1923

New York to Rio de Janeiro

This is simply to acknowledge receipt of your cable of June 19th, which we have decoded to read:-

"June 19th, approved models returned to you American Line per steamer sailed on June 13th. Refer to our telegram of 9th, no reply received as yet."

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there being nothing further to say since we have both cabled and written in connection with your telegrams of the 9th.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

FWG/IW

DUPLICATE SENT

Rio, Rec'd June 22, 1923

FOREIGN DEPT.
6/27/23
JUN 22 1923
C. P. R.
JUN 29 1923

A. B. N. Co.

New York

EWHOBedsox	June 22nd verbal (1y)
AXKIJnuthy	have received an order for 50,000,000
EHMIBgokhy	Notas de 1 Milreis 15,000,000
EHMOBfuxhy	Notas de 2 Milreis 10,000,000
EHMUBalrar	Notas de 5 Milreis Models have been approved this day
AHXULefkyg	except the following vignette, portrait
EHMIBaclex	Notas de 1 Milreis to be

CAMPOS SALLES

EFKYGehmob	vignette, portrait Notas de 2 Milreis
ACLEX	to be

PRUDENTE MORAES

L. C. Irvine

(SD)

ALL AMERICA CABLES
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JAMES A. SCRYMSER, FOUNDER

VIA ALL AMERICA CABLES
VIA COLON

UNITED STATES and SOUTH AMERICA DIRECT
JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

When replying to this message, telephone Broad 7470, or [illegible] of the above branch offices, and messenger will be sent immediately.

DEL Date 281 JUN 22 '23

1QRI X 504 RIO 15 305P

BANKNOTE NY

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FOREIGN DEPT. JUN 22 1923

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Rio, Rec'd June 23, 1923.

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A. B. N. Co.

New York

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VIA ALL AMERICA

ALL AMERICA CABLES

VIA COLON

UNITED STATES and SOUTH AMERICA DIRECT

JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

When replying to this message, telephone Broad 7470, or any of the above branch offices, and messenger will be sent immediately.

C. P. R. JUN 29 1923

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Date.....

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FILED AT NEW YORK

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A.B;N. Co.

New York

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WEGotAZDEL	we got a better price
EGHUXepxib	are writing fully

L. C. Irvine

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WESTERN UNION

CABLEGRAM

Form 1281

TIME OF RECEIPT SHOWN ON THIS MESSAGE IS EASTERN STANDARD TIME

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

O. P. R. JUN 29 1923

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BANKNOTE

RIO (BRASIL)

EWHUCessab	June 23rd Refer to your telegram of 22nd
AFTAFedgah	our heartiest congratulations to you
ABRIJ	and
QUILLOR	Allen

Banknote

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Form 101

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VIA ALL AMERICA

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JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

FULL RATE	DEFERRED RATE	WEEK END LETTER

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This Company will not assume any responsibility concerning any message beyond the terminus of its own lines.

It is agreed between the sender of the message on the reverse hereof and this Company, that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery, to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any unrepeated message, beyond the amount that portion of the tolls which shall accrue to this Company; and that this Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, nor for non-delivery to the next connecting telegraph or cable company, or to the addressee, of any repeated message, beyond fifty times the extra sum received by this Company from the sender for repeating such message over its own lines, and that this Company shall not be liable in any case for delays arising from interruption in the working of its lines or from congestion of traffic, nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages, or caused by indistinct handwriting or typewriting. And this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning messages until the same are presented and accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a message is sent to such office by one of the Company's messengers, or by a messenger of any other company, he acts as the agent of the sender for the purpose of delivering the message and any notice or instructions regarding it to the Company's agent in its said office. Any message sent to the Company's office by private wire or by telephone or by telegraph or through a connecting telegraph, cable, or radio company is sent at the sender's risk of errors or failures in such service and all of the terms and conditions herein shall apply to the message throughout, and the person receiving such message by private wire or by telephone or by telegraph or through a connecting telegraph, cable, or radio company acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender, and is authorized to assent to these conditions on behalf of the sender.

It is agreed that this Company shall not be liable for damages in any case where the claim is not presented to it in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with this Company for transmission.

It is agreed that the exemptions above stated shall apply both to Mexican Telegraph Company and to All America Cables, Incorporated.

The above terms and conditions shall be binding upon the receiver as well as the sender of this cablegram

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
John L. Merrill, President.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT MISCELLANEOUS.

C. P. R.
JUL 11 1923

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE June 23, 1923.

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(--copy--)

May 24 (Banco do Brasil--in re models. I have never received the original with the photos of the models.)
" 25 (Banco Hypothecario --copy only. The original with two stub lays has not come.)
" 31.

June 1
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Yours very truly,

R. C. Johnson

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUL 10 1923

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 987

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

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FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

O. P. R. JUL 12 1923

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FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE JUL 17 1923

Dr. Cincinato Braga,
President, etc., etc.--

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50,000,000	of Rs.1$	at $ 8.00 per thousand	400.000
15,000,000	" " 2$	" $ 8.50 " "	127.500
10,000,000	" " 5$	" $ 9.00 " "	90.000

These notes will be made in conformity with the models to-day approved, with, however, the following exceptions,--

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Once more thanking Your Excellency for this proof of confidence, assuring you of our zeal and dedication in the execution of so important an order and asking for confirmation,

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C. P. R.
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22 de Junho de 1923.

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Estas notas serão feitas em conformidade com os modelos hoje approvados, porém, com as seguintes excepções:--

As notas de 1$ terão o retrato de Campos Salles e as notas de 2$ terão o retrato de Prudente de Moraes.

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FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

ORDER DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

C.P.R. JUN 28 1923

Date June 25,1923.

Order Entered
By
No 7367
Date 6/28/23

Please furnish

BANCO DO BRASIL
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

50,000,000 - 1 MILREIS NOTES

Steel engrave
Face die as per model, (To come) with portrait vignette, on face "Campos-Salles", which we have. (C444)

Rout full Major tint for back, with Coat-of-Arms of Brasil (Change spelling of word Brazil on Coat-of-Arms to "BRASIL".
Prismatic tint for face.

Trimmed size of notes 2 13/32 x 4 13/16
Transfer -36/1 Milreis note, face plates, rotary

Prepare Major tint plates for both faces and backs 72 on

Print: 1,388,888 32/36 imps. 36 on 1 Milreis note faces, in black
Print: 694,444 32/72 imps. 72 on 1 Milreis note backs, Major tint form #430
Prismatic tint form 429 on faces.
Red type on faces, in 2 places:
"Estampa 1A" and "Serie 1A - 500A (changing series with each 100,000 notes)
Paper J.M. 27 scattered planchette
Double Nos. on face, in red 000001-100000 each series
Cut single, and band 500 notes.
Furnish 75 cancelled specimens in first delivery - specimens to be prepared same as on F5846,- namely: to be cancelled by punching a small hole through denomination on face and 2 small holes in the signature panel at the bottom, A small hole through the number wherever it appears. Type in red or blue, according to the color of the note, the word "MODELO" on both face and back in such a way that it can be easily distinguished at the same time not disfiguring the note.

Authority for Order: Irvine's cable June 22,1923

Price: For figures $7 per 1000 - $350,000
5 % commission. U.S.Cy. FOB N.Y.

Delivery Dates

Terms / to (Barton Allen)
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

Shipping Instructions: ← See memo July 13, 1923

Mark and ship to: Thesouro Federal ao Ministerio da Fazenda
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
NOTE: Show gross weight of each case in kilos on the case. Cases to be wired and ends of wire sealed. Cable L. C. Irvine day of shipment, giving name of steamer, date of sailing and numbers of cases shipped.

Billing Instructions

To come.

RECEIVED
JUN 25 1923

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

J. B. P.

D 5225

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

C. P. R.
JUN 28 1923

ORDER DEPARTMENT

Date June 25,1923

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Order Entered
By
No. F7368
Date 9/6/23

Please furnish

BANCO DO BRASIL
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

15,000,000 - 2 MILREIS NOTES

Steel engrave
face die as per model (to come) with portrait vignette, on face " Prudente Moraes", which we have. (C 445).

Rout full Major tint for back, with Coat-of-Arms of Brasil (Change spelling of word "Brazil" on Coat-of-Arms to "BRASIL".
Prismatic tint for face.

Trimmed size of notes 2 1/2 x 5 1/32
Transfer -36/2 Milreis note, face plates, rotary

Prepare Major tint plates for both faces and backs 72 on.

Print: 416,666 24/36 imps. 36 on 2 Milreis note faces, in black.
208,333 24/72 imps. 72 on 2 Milreis note backs, Major tint form #425
Prismatic tint form 424 on faces.
Red type on faces, in 2 places:
"Estampa 1A and "Serie 1A to 150A "(changing series with each 100,000 notes
Paper J.M.27 scattered planchette.
Double Nos. on face, in red 000001-100000 each series.
Cut single and band 500 notes.
Furnish 75 cancelled specimens in first delivery, specimens to be prepared as instructed on order for 1 Milreis notes.

Authority for Order Irvine's cable June 22,1923

Price For report $7.50 per M - $112,500
5% commission. U.S.Cy. FOB N.Y.
/to Barton Allen
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

Delivery Dates

Terms

Shipping Instructions:— Same as on order for 1 Milreis notes
See memo July 17. 1923

Billing Instructions To come

RECEIVED
JUN 25 1923

J. B. P.

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

D 5225

FOREIGN SALES DEPARTMENT

C. P. R.

ORDER DEPARTMENT

JUN 28 1923

Date June 25, 1923

Order Entered
By OMH.
No. 77369
Date 6/26/23

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

Please furnish

BANCO DO BRASIL
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

10,000,000 - 5 MILREIS NOTES

Steel engrave
Face die as per model(to come) with portrait vignette, on face "Barão de Rio Branco", which we have. (C384)

Rout full Major tint for back with Coat-of-Arms of Brasil(Change spelling of word Brazil on Coat-of-Arms to "BRASIL".
Prismatic tint on face.

Trimmed size of notes 2 23/32 x 5 1/4
Transfer 32/5 Milreis note, face plates, rotary:

Prepare Major tint plates for both faces and backs 64 on. imps.
Print:- 312,500/- 32 on 5 Milreis note faces, in black
Print:- 156,250 imps. 64 on 5 Milreis note backs, Major tint form #427
Prismatic tint form 428 on faces.
Red type on faces, in 2 places "Estampa 1A and Serie 1A to 100A (changes series with each 100,000 notes).
Paper J.M. 27 scattered planchette.
Double Nos. on face; in red 000001-100000 each series.
Cut single and band 500 notes.
Furnish 75 cancelled specimens in first delivery, specimens to be prepared as instructed on order for 1 Milreis notes.

Authority for Order Irvine's cable June 22,1923

Price For report $8.50 per 1000 -$85,000
5% commission U.S.Cy.FOB N.Y.
Terms / (to Barton Allen).
Caixa 44,
Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

Delivery Dates

Shipping Instructions:— Same as on order for 1 Milreis notes
del Memo July 17. 1923

Billing Instructions to come

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JUN 25 1923

MANAGER OF FOREIGN SALES

J. B. P.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

C. P. R.
JUN 26 1923

June 25, 1923.

Order Entered
By OMM
No. F-7317
Date 6/25/23

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL
F-7317

Kindly note on your order that the word on the specimen notes should read "Modelo" instead of "Models" as shown.

SHL

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

RECEIVED
JUN 25 1923
A. B. N. Co.

Rio , Rec'd June 25,1923.

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EWJAFesjyk	June 25th refer to our telegram of 22nd
AXKOJecfex	Have received official order Stop .

HYPOTHECARIO

EBPASersyp	Series Refer to our letter of 12th
ALDOTstill	Legislation still
AXTIDecven	pending There is xxxx
ECXUJalrix	time prepare new models

L.C.Irvine

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 7087

(IW)

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 25,1923.

Supplementing my latter of the 23d.,under this heading and cover, I now beg to state that we have asked Dr. Cincinato about the words "Valor Recebido" on the notes and he says it will not be necessary to have them appear on the notes.

In my letter to the Bank confirming this new order I did not make any exception regarding the shipping dates originally put forward although the order is larger a good deal than the offer from you and I make sure you can come pretty near to what was first said--anyhow read my letter carefully and if there is any trouble about this,let me know at once.

Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUL 10 1923

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

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Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.
JUL 10 1923
RECEIVED

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT PARCEL BY THIS STEAMER ("PAN AMERICA") IN THE AGENTS' CARE AS PER RECEIPT ENCLOSED.

C. P. R.
JUL 12 1923

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FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 26, 1923.

By the parcel, receipt for which I enclose, I am sending you the approved models for the new notes for the Bank of Brasil (faces and backs--1$, 2$ & 5$)

also the model for 500 reis notes, which I brought back with me in December 1921,

and twp color albums,--nos 13 & 59.

X ack 7/10/23

Trusting the same will reach you safely,

Yours very truly,

[signature]

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUL 10 1923

RECEIVED

OTHER COPY IN PACKET 575 B.N.

(other letters of June 26th filed in 575 B.N. packet + in Color Chart packet)

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

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Yours very truly,

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY'S LIBRARY
1923 JUL 19

FOREIGN DEPT.
JUL 10 1923

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM Rio de Janeiro TO New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 26,1923.

In your letter of June 5th.you ask about taking the automobile out of the back of the 20$ note and this will be all right.

On the 25th. I received your cable message,as follows,-

EWHUCESSAB AFTAFEDGAH ABRIJ QUILLOR

(TRANSLATION)::June 23
Refer to your telegram of 22nd.
Our heartiest congratulations
To you
And
Allen

I now hand you the confirmation given me by the Bank,which reads as follows,-- (Date June 23) Accusamos o recebimento de sua carta de hontem de cujos dizeres tomamos devida nota, cumprindo-nos declarar que estamos de accordo com o que nos communica V.S. relativamente á encommenda de notas feita por este Banco ao American Bank Note Company.
Com toda a estima e apreço,somos,
etc.,etc. (Signed by the Manager and Accountant.)

Translation---We acknowledge receipt of your letter of yesterday of the contents of which we take due note and declare that we are in agreement with what you communicate in regard to the order of notes made by this Bank to the American Bank Note Company.---

Yours very truly,

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUL 10 1923

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK DATE June 26, 1923.

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And
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Yours very truly,

RECEIVED JUL 12 1923

FOREIGN DEPT.

JUL 10 1923

Banco do Brasil

Endereço Telegraphico
"Satellite"

C. P. R.
JUL 17 1923

37367-8-9

Mod. 86

A/T/C

Rio de Janeiro, 23 de Junho de 1923.

Illmo. Sr. Lilbourn Cave Irvine
D. Representante do American Bank Note Company
Avenida Rio Branco 109 - 1º andar, sala 5.

Accusamos o recebimento de sua carta de hontem, de cujos dizeres tomámos devida nota, cumprindo-nos declarar que estamos de accordo com o que nos communica V. S., relativamente á encommenda de notas feita por este Banco ao American Bank Note Company.

Com toda a estima e apreço, somos,
De V. S.
Ams. Attas. e Obs.
Pelo BANCO DO BRASIL
Gerente
Contador

L. C. IRVINE
JUN 25 1923
RIO DE JANEIRO

FOREIGN DEPT.
JUL 10 1923

C = R
JUN 27 1923

June 26, 1923.

Mr. Henry Treadwell,
Manager Engraving Department.

BANCO DO BRASIL

Please note that we are to approve proofs of the engraving of the various denominations of notes for the above here in New York, therefore please send us proofs of either face or back as soon as ready and not hold them up for the complete proofs of any one denomination.

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 17

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

OTS 31453

Order Entered
By [illegible]
No. 77336/9-73 18/19
6/26/23

June 26, 1923.

C.P.R.
JUN 28 1923

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL

Kindly note that the wording which is to appear in the pantograph on the face of the various denominations of notes which we are preparing for the above is to read "Banco do Brasil".

SHL

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

RECEIVED
JUN 26 1923
J. B.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
BRONX, N. Y.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT

June 26, 1923

C. P. R.
SEP 26 1923

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REPUBLIC BRASIL

Mr. S. H. Lane;-

Confirming the delivery times telephoned you recently by Mr. Cary, Jr. they are as follows-

~~200s~~	~~August 3rd~~				
~~1000s~~	~~" 3rd~~				
10s	Begin Sept.	15th	- Complete Oct.	20th	
20s	" "	15th	- " "	15th	
1s	" "	20th	- " Nov.	12th	
2s	" Oct.	10th	- " "	13th	
5s	" "	18th	- " "	19th	
50s	" "	8th	- " Oct.	23rd	Sept 20 - Oct 6.
100s	" Nov.	1st	- " Nov.	7th	
500s	" "	14th	- " "	20th	Sept 15 - Sept 20

It is understood that the models on the 1s- 2s and 5s will be OK'd and work gone ahead with not later than June 26th. In relation to the above dies iy might be of interest to you to know that proof times promised by Engraving Department are as follows-

		~~200s dies~~	~~July 7th~~	-	~~plates~~	~~July 12th~~	
		~~1000s~~	~~" "~~	~~10th~~	-	~~" "~~	~~16th~~
7/26	6/9	10s	" Aug.	13th	- "	Aug.	20th
7/26	6/7	20s	" "	9th	- "	"	16th
7/26	7/24	50s	" "	7th	- "	"	16th
7/26	6/11	100s	" "	10th	- "	"	20th
6/2		500s	" "	24th	- "	Sept.	4th
7/20							

1s- 2s and 5s dies about four weeks after OK of models and plates ten days to two weeks after OK of dies.

Edwin Lang

Superintendent.

(Fasten here) (Fasten here)

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Customs Cat. No. 5119.
C. D., Apr. 18-18.

DUPLICATE

File

COMBINED ENTRY, MANIFEST, AND RECEIPT

This form to be used on trains, roads, bridges, ferries, docks, etc., when value is less than $100.
Private invoice, if any, to be attached.

C. P. W.
JUN 27 1923

Bound for Brazil

United States Customs Service

Collection District No. 10 Port of NY June 26 1923

Goods imported by American Bank Note Co

Address 70 Broad St NY City

in the American Legion from Brazil on June 25 1923

MARKS AND NUMBERS	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	QUANTITY	VALUE DOLLARS ONLY	RATE	DUTY OR FINE
Addressed American Bank Note Co.	Satisfied Am Goods Retd Flood Insp				
	One (1) Case Models of Notes American Goods Returned				
	Inspector may release if satisfied same is of American Manufacture				

Nº 369021 Appraiser or examiner will note his action above. Total, $

CASHIER'S STAMP

Declared to before me on June 19 1923

of Customs.

I declare that the above statement is a just, true, and complete account of all articles and their values brought into the United States by me or the person named above on the vessel or conveyance and on the date stated above, and that I paid the above amount or received the merchandise free of duty.

American Bank Note Co
W. A. Scott
Importer.

If payment is made in customhouse deliver original and duplicate to importer to be presented to cashier with payment. Duplicate will be stamped or marked paid and returned as receipt. Triplicate to remain in book.

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C. P. R.
JUN 28 1923

June 27,1923.

Dr. Cincinato Braga, Président
Banco do Brasil,
Rio de Janeiro,Brasil.

Mon Cher Docteur:-

Je prends la liberté , au nom de ma Compagnie et personnellement, de venir vous exprimer tous nos remercîment pour la décision prise par votre banque de nous confier l'impression de vos nouveaux billets de banque, lesquels je puis vous assurer seront dignes de l'Institution dont vous êtes le Président.

Comprenant l'importance que vous attachez aux livraisons qui devront être faites promptement, je viens vous dire que nous ferons tout en notre pouvoir afin de vous donner entière satisfaction à ce sujet.

Je vous prie de croire, mon Cher Docteur, à nos sentiments les meilleurs.

Vice Président.

TRANSLATION

JC/IW

I take the liberty, in the name of my company and personally, to express our thanks for the decision taken by your bank in conferring to us the printing of your new bank notes, which - I assure you,will be worthy of the Institution of which you are President.

Realizing the importance attached by you to the question of delivery, which should be made promptly, I beg to state that we will do everything in our power in order to give you entire satisfaction on this point,

Yours,etc.

(IW)

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE June 27, 1923.

C. P. R.
JUN 29 1923

We confirm herewith interchange of cables in connection with order of notes for the above as follows:

Your cable of June 22nd decoded as follows:

"June 22nd verbally have received an order for 50,000,000 notas de 1 Milreis, 15,000,000 Notas de 2 Milreis, 10,000,000 Notas de 5 Milreis models have been approved this day except the following vignette, portrait Notas de 1 Milreis to be Campos Salles, vignette, portrait Notas de 2 Milreis to be Prudente Moraes."

Ours of June 23rd:

"June 23rd refer to your telegram of 22nd our heartiest congratulations to you and Allen."

Yours of June 23rd:

"June 23rd refer to our telegram of 22nd we got a better price are writing fully."

Yours of June 23rd:

"June 23rd refer to our telegram of 22nd regarding model Notas de 1 Milreis they request if possible more space for signature in every case spell Brasil with s."

Yours of June 25th, a portion of which read as follows:

"June 25th refer to our telegram of 22nd have received official order."

We further acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 11th, also under separate cover the 7 sets of models, all duly approved with the exception of the back of the 10 and 20 Milreis which are approved subject to the substitution of the vignettes as later furnished us.

To prevent a possible misunderstanding we would again refer to our letter of June 13th in which letter you will note our advice that we had changed the color

for the back of the 50 Milreis note to a brown No. 13 so that it would not conflict with the 200 Milreis. Unless we hear from you to the contrary we will print the back of the 50 Milreis note in the color we have selected.

We are naturally more than gratified to have received an order of such substantial quantities for the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis notes. After substituting the vignette of Campos Salles on the 1 Milreis and Prudente Moraes on the 2 Milreis and widening the signature space for the 1 Milreis we are going ahead with the work getting these notes ready for delivery just as soon as possible.

In a paragraph of your letter of June 11th you mention that payment as we suggest in our letter of May 4th had already been arranged. In your letter of May 22nd to his Excellence, Dr. Braga we note your proposal that as shipments of notes are received the Bank will promptly verify them and will then make the respective payments in New York through their banking corporation in that city.

It was our hope that arrangements could be made whereby we would receive payment for our goods here in New York at time of shipment against Bills of Lading rather than at time of delivery but apparently this is not possible in accordance with arrangements made.

We note your suggestion that the photograph you sent us of the"reading of the constitution"might come in handy some time in the future. We would strongly urge against the use of this vignette in conjunction with any bank note issue as its reproduction in a reduced size, where there is so much detail and so many faces, does not work out satisfactorily, and we would ask that you advise against its use should the question ever come up in connection with any of our steel work.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

DATE June 27, 1923.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

The "Quayle" concern in Albany, New York to whom you refer is a steel plate printer specializing mostly in commercial work such as invitations for weddings and college graduations, visiting cards, headings etc. He is closely identified with New York State politicians and has for a number of years prepared the bonds for the state of New York. His activities in security work have been practically confined to these issues.

As to proofs we are arranging to approve all the engravings here but will send you for examination and final approval duplicate proofs from time to time as they are ready. In any case, if there are any changes required you could immediately advise us by cable.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT

CASA DA MOEDA.

DATE

June 27,1923.

With reference to your letter of June 11th, I take note of what you have to report about this institution buying some more machinery, in order to improve their work,- but what I note particularly is your pessimism in saying: "I do not know what changes may come over them - if the bank comes under new Directors, we may be shuffled out."

Why nourish your mind with such fear? Let them come and fight them out when they do come; in the meantime keep in good relations with all the Directors of the bank and keep an eye on what the Casa da Moeda is doing.

It seems to me that you should not have much trouble to find things out from the bank.

Now that we have had the satisfaction of closing this business in its entirety let us be contented and work accordingly - and not have any fear.

Yours very truly,

Vice President.

JC/IW

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 575

Rio, Rec'd June 28,1923.

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

EWJOJabwaj	June 28th approved
ALRUTecfof	models returned to you per steamer

PAN AMERICA

ECFEXacwyf	Stop. Bonds
HYPOTcario	Hypothecario
ESDEXaxlej	refer to your letter of 25th original
AZSIJedmab	has not been received Do not understand
ADNAXstubs	clearly stubs
EBDOFalrux	Will you send corrected models.

L.C.Irvine

OTHER COPY IN
PACKET 789

(IW)

Brazil Notes

C. P. R.
JUN 28 1923

file

1 Face black, prismatic tint #429
1 Back all Major tint #430 (Predominating color #9 Blue ✓

2 face black, Prismatic tint #424
2 back, all Major tint #425 (Predominating color #12 brown, ✓

5 face, black, prismatic tint #428
5 back all Major tint #427 (Predominating color #80 A Rose ✓

10 face, black, Major tint #420
10 back, all Steel P 20 Brown ✓

20 face black, Major tint #409
20 back, all Steel #9 Blue ✓

50 face Black, Major tint #410
50 back, all Steel #12 Brown ✓
100 face, Black Major tint #411
100 back, all Steel #1 Green ✓

200 face black, Major tint #412
200 back, all Steel 55 3/4 Olive ✓

500 face black, Major tint #413
500 back all Steel P 16 Red ✓

1000 face in Black. Major tint #414
1000 back all Steel P 3 Purple

ENTERED
JUN 28 1923
WAS.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C. F. R.
JUN 29 1923

DATE June 28, 1923.

We are in receipt of your letter of June 13th together with copy of letter to Dr. Braga dated June 9th, and his reply of June 12th.

We are glad to have these for our files.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R.
JUN 29 1923

DATE June 28,1923.

For your information we are enclosing herewith copy of our letter of yesterday's date to the President of the above Bank, which is self-explanatory.

Yours very truly,

Vice President.

IW

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT

BANCO DO BRASIL.

C.P.R. JUL 9 1923

DATE July 6,1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

In looking into the details for the order of the above bank for the various denominations, we find that on the previous orders we have, in each case, numbered the notes from 1 to 100,000 - without any ciphers preceding the numbers. This method is quite out of date and does not afford as much security as notes numbered with ciphers preceding the numeral.

In referring to the notes issued by the Casa da Moeda we find that zeros have preceded the numbers. We are, therefore, entering our order having each series start with five ciphers and a one and running to 100,000. (000001-100000).

We are certain there will be no objection to this,- from the standpoint of security - if for no other reason.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department.

SHL/IW

DUPLICATE SENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

O.P.R. JUL 7 1923

July 6,1923.

ORDER DEPARTMENT:-

453/5-55

Order Entered
By
No
Date 7/6/23

BANCO DO BRASIL

F 7317 - 10 Milreis
7318 - 20 "
7319 - 1000 "
7336 - 50 "
7337 - 100 "
7338 - 200 "
7339 - 500 "

Kindly change all of the above orders to read:-

"Double Nos. in red 000001 to 100,000 - each Series."

SHL

Asst.Manager Foreign Department.

SHL/IW

RECEIVED
JUL 6 1923
J. B. P.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R. JUL 12 1923

DATE July 11, 1923.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

We acknowledge receipt of the following letters: June 23rd with enclosed copy of your letter to the Banco do Brasil and translation of same establishing prices for the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis notes of $8.00, $8.50 and $9.00 respectively, also official confirmation of this order.

We have taken due note of commission on these 3 denominations and have decided to give a 10% commission to Mr. Allen for the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis on this order. The commission of 5% on the other denominations will remain as formerly agreed.

We believe all details as confirmed in this and previous letters pertaining to designs have been understood and any changes requested have been incorporated in the models. We will write you later concerning dates of shipments.

Your letter of June 25th from which we understand that the words "Valor Recebido" are not to appear on the notes.

Yours very truly,

DUPLICATE SENT

Vice President

SHL/SD

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AS 316 23/5

Order Entered
By [illegible]
No. 7367/9
Date 7/13/23

C. P. R.
JUL 16 1923

July 11, 1923.

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL
1,2,5 Milreis - 7367/8/9

Kindly note that these 3 denominations are not to carry any white margin around the note and that the prismatic tint is to bleed to the edge.

SHL

Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

SHL/SD

RECEIVED
JUL 11 1923
J. B. P.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

New York to Rio de Janeiro

DATE July 12, 1923.

C. P. R.
JUL 16 1923

We are sending you under separate cover registered complete proofs of the engravings of the 1000 Milreis note, face and back, and of the 200 Milreis note, face and back.

We have approved these engravings here and are proceeding with the preparation of the printing plates and printing of the notes. If however on examination of these notes any error is found in the work please cable us at once.

We are sending these proofs to you for the President of the Bank as we thought he would like to have them for his files. In presenting these to the President it might be well to mention that these impressions are carefully pulled by hand from the original engraving, and that therefore the finished note, as delivered, may differ somewhat in tone and shade of ink and general character from the impression. We thought it would be wise to make mention of this at the time fearful that when the finished notes were delivered he might on comparison note a certain difference which would occasion criticism which might be avoided by advice in advance. These proofs being well in advance of delivery, we think it would be well not to show the proofs around leaving that to the discretion of the President.

Proofs of other denominations will be sent to you from time to time. We are most pleased with the results obtained in these engravings and only hope that they will be liked by the Bank officials.

Yours very truly,

DUPLICATE SENT

SHL/SD

Manager Foreign Department

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

C. P. R.
JUL 17 1923

July 12, 1923.

GS 31639
F 7367-8-9.
6/14/23

Order Department:

BANCO DO BRASIL
1,2,5 Milreis - F-7367/8/9

Kindly have information put on the order of these 3 denominations of notes same as shown on the other denominations namely: "one-half of the order to be shipped as soon as ready, balance to be held on hand subject to delivery instructions but to be taken on or before December 31st, 1924."

SHL

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

Change prices in accordance with letter of June 22/23 - attached. also change commission to 10%

filed with Irvine letter of June 23

July 12, 1923.

Cable to Sleigh (Original filed in Sleigh's packet # 1047)

July 12th
for your information

Banco do Brazil
sole

Bank of Issue
of

Brazil
order has been awarded to us for

the entire issue
notes,
bonds

Stop.
Order has been awarded to us for

SOLELY

on
quality

work

COPY

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL.

FROM RIO DE JANEIRO TO NEW YORK

DATE July 12,1923.

FOREIGN DEPT.
C. P. R.
AUG 3 1923
AUG 1 1923

wk 8/2/23

As the time approaches for beginning shipments of notes,

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET

To advise each shipment by cable

To send the specimen numbers asked for in the first shipment of each denomination

To address boxes as you have been in the habit of doing for the Government notes--this is to facilitate the arrangements in the Custom House ;the Bank can manage much more expeditiously thus.Any oversight on this point may cause embarrassing delay in the Custom House despatch-

To make careful arrangements with the steamship Company regarding stowing in strong room on board. If there is any carelessness concerning this we may have troubles such as we have had before and.maybe,more so. Also,if the Bank cannot get the stuff promptly on arrival of boat,it will make them suspicious of the care given. The Bank will most likely be on hand the first thing and it is up to us to make it all right without any hitch.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

FROM
Rio de Janeiro
TO
New York

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

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Yours very truly,

RECEIVED 1923 AUG

(Fasten here)

...ENT.
...t. No. 5119.
...D., Apr. 18-18.

DUPLICATE

COMBINED ENTRY, MANIFEST, AND RECEIPT

This form to be used on trains, roads, bridges, ferries, docks, etc., when value is less than $100.
Private invoice, if any, to be attached.

File

United States Customs Service

Banco de Brazil

Collection District No. 10 Port of NY July 17, 1923

Goods imported by Amer Bank Note Co

Address 70 Broad St City

in the Am American Brazil on July 9 1923

MARKS AND NUMBERS	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	VALUE DOLLARS ONLY	RATE	DUTY OR FINE
	QUANTITY			
Add-	one pkg models Bank notes & albums all of paper mf.			

C. P. R.
JUL 17 1923

Examined and passed as Am. goods returned by Exporter
Examiner

Manufactured of Imported paper mf

No. 372095 Appraiser or examiner will note his action above.

Total, $

CASHIER'S STAMP

Declared to before me on June 17 1923

of Customs.

I declare that the above statement is a just, true, and complete account of all articles and their values brought into the United States by me or the person named above on the vessel or conveyance and on the date stated above, and that I paid the above amount or received the merchandise free of duty.

American Bank Note Co
by W. Scott
Importer.

If payment is made in customhouse deliver original and duplicate to importer to be presented to cashier with payment. Duplicate will be stamped or marked paid and returned as receipt. Triplicate to remain in book.

2—5100

S 7336 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

prpare 6 - 21 on face plates Rotary

6 - 21 " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. S 7336
Date 7/18/23

S 7337 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

PREPARE 4 - 21 on face plates Rotary

4 " back "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. S 7337
Date 7/18/23

F 7338 7/17-23

Banco Brasil

Prepare 4 15/ on face plates Rotary

4 " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7338
Date 7/18/23

E 7339 7/17-23

Banco Brasil

Prepare 2 - 15 on face plates Rotary

2 - " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. E 7339
Date 7/18/23

F 7317 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

PREPARE 16 - 28 on face plates Rotary

16 " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7317
Date 7/18/23

F 7318 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

prepare 14 - 21 on face plates Rotary

14 " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7318
Date 7/18/23

F 7319 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

prepare2 - 15 on face plates Rotary

2 - " back " "

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7319
Date 7/18/23

F 7367 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

prepare 50 - 32 on face plates Rotary

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7367
Date 7/18/23

S 7368 7/17-23

Banco do Brasil

prepare ~~61~~ 16 - 36 on face plates Rotary

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7368

F 7369 7/17-23

BANCO BRASIL

PREPARE 12 - 32 on face plates Rotary

C. P. R.
JUL 19 1923

Order Entered
By
No. F 7369
Date 7/18/23

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Customs Cat. No. 5119.
C. D., Apr. 18-18.

DUPLICATE

COMBINED ENTRY, MANIFEST, AND RECEIPT

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File Bayco do Brasil

United States Customs Service

Collection District No. 10 *Port of* New York, July 24 *19*

Goods imported by The American Bank Note Co

Address 70/72 Broad St. NY City, NY

in the Western World *from* Brazil *on* July *19*

MARKS AND NUMBERS	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	QUANTITY	VALUE DOLLARS ONLY	RATE	DUTY OR FINE
Addressed American Bank Note Co	One (1) Box Models of government security				

C. P. R. JUL 25 1923

Am Goods Rec'd Passed Free Good Ask

American Goods Returned. Inspector: May release if satisfied above is of American manufacture

No. 372116 Appraiser or examiner will note his action above.

Total, $

CASHIER'S STAMP

Declared to before me

on July 24, *19*23

of Customs.

I declare that the above statement is a just, true, and complete account of all articles and their values brought into the United States by me or the person named above on the vessel or conveyance and on the date stated above, and that I paid the above amount or received the merchandise free of duty.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York
to
Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C. P. R.
JUL 30 1923

DATE July 27, 1923.

We are arranging to ship notes to you packing the 1, 2 and 5 Milreis in cases of 100,000 notes to a case, all other denominations 50000 notes to a case.

We give you this information so that in advising you of shipments by cable from time to time we will simply have to state the number of cases and the denominations and from this schedule you will be able to figure out the number of notes.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

DUPLICATE SENT

Rio, Rec'd July 30,1923.

C.P.R.
AUG 1 1923

A.B.N.Co.

N.Y.

wk 7/31/23

EWWECecnes July 30th
Telegraph fully regarding

EBTYPnotes first shipment will be made
notes

L.C.Irvine

FOREIGN DEPT.
JUL 30 1923.

7319 -
7338 - By SS Western World Aug 4th

250 M - 500 Mr notes
100 M - 1000 Mr notes

7 cases -

(IW)

WESTERN UNION CABLEGRAM

Form 1281

AUG 1 1923

TIME OF RECEIPT SHOWN ON THIS MESSAGE IS EASTERN STANDARD TIME

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Received at 40 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

JUL 30 PM 12 44

PRODUCE EXCHANGE N.Y.

MZ NL14/30 FC

RIODEJANEIRO 4 30 120P WU

BANKNOTE America Bank Note Co 70 Broadst

NEWYORK 30/45

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FOREIGN DEPT

TIME OF RECEIPT SHOWN ON THIS MESSAGE IS EASTERN STANDARD TIME JUL 30 1923

RECEIVED

1923 JUL 30 PM 12 42

RECEIVED

July 30, 1923.

O.P.R.J.
AUG 1 1923

7/31/23

BANKNOTE

RIO (BRASIL)

EWWECestil	July 30th Refer to your telegram of 30th
EBTELfaf	will ship 7
ADHIXjohfo	-------cases containing 250,000
EHMUCcyggu	Notas de 200 Milreis 100,000
EHMITecfid	Notas de 1000 Milreis by steamer ------sailing
EXCEJ	August 4th

WESTERN WORLD

BANKNOTE

(SD)

Form 101

ALL AMERICA CABLES

MEXICAN TELEGRAPH CO.

MAIN OFFICE: 89 BROAD STREET
(All America Cables Building)
NEW YORK

TELEPHONES, BROAD {7470 TO 7479 / 6020 TO 6024

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234 FIFTH AVE., COR. 27TH ST.	TEL. MADISON SQ. 5056
[illegible] FIFTH AVE., COR. 42ND ST.	TEL. VANDERBILT 9464

JAMES A. SCRYMSER, FOUNDER

VIA ALL AMERICA

VIA COLON

NUMBER

TIME

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JOHN L. MERRILL, PRESIDENT

Send the following Cablegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

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C. P. R. AUG 1 1923

July 30, 1923.

BANKNOTE

RIO (BRAZIL)

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BANKNOTE

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VIA "ALL AMERICA"

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ALL AMERICA CABLES, INCORPORATED,
MEXICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
John L. Merrill, President.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

New York to Rio de Janeiro

SUBJECT BANCO DO BRASIL

C.P.R. AUG 1 1923

DATE July 31, 1923.

We received your cable of July 30th which we decoded as follows:

"July 30th telegraph fully regarding first shipment will be made notes."

and in accordance with your request for advice of contents of our first shipment of notes for the above we cabled you as follows:

"July 30th refer to your telegram of 30th will ship 7 cases containing 250,000 Notas de 200 Milreis 100,000 Notas de 1000 Milreis by steamer Western World sailing August 4th."

We know that this will be good news to you and anxiously await the impression which this issue will make upon the Brasilian public.

Yours very truly,

Manager Foreign Department

SHL/SD

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